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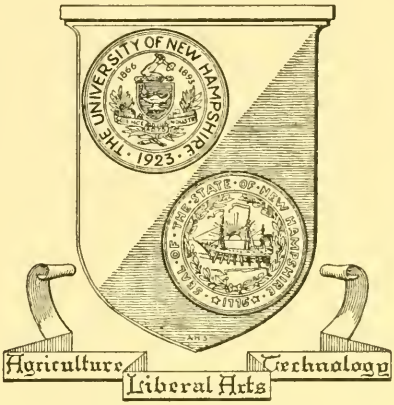

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KEENE, N. H., 1939

MAYOR
RICHARD L. HOLBROOK
City Clerk, FRANK H. WHITCOMB
ELMER B. CHAMBERLAIN, Deputy City Clerk

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Ward 1.—Chandler B. McAllister.
Ward 2.—Dayton L. Park.
Ward 3.—
Ward 4.—Robert D. Nms.
Ward 5.—Rupert E. Robinson.

BOARD OF COMMON COUNCILMEN

Ward 1.—Joseph R. Bruce.
Roy W. Frink
Weldon R. Stanford.

Ward 2.—Sidney S. Frizzell.
Percy A. Feather.
Kenneth P. Colby.

Ward 3.—Bernard A. Streeter.
Paul E. Whitcomb.
Ellis Robertson.

Ward 4.—Harold L. Parker, President.
Gale Shedd.
Elmer L. MacKenzie.

Ward 5.—David F. Barcomb.
Clyde C. Clark.
John G. Doukas.
Clerk—Harry E. Gale

Persons furnishing materials or services for the city may call for claims, which have been properly approved, and allowed by the Auditor, on Saturday at the City Clerk's office, No. 3, City Hall.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES

Finance—Mayor Holbrook, Councilmen Whitcomb and Streeter.
Schools—Alderman Nims, Councilmen Shedd and Frink.
Lands and Buildings—Alderman Park, Councilmen MacKenzie and Doukas.
Bridges and Streets—Alderman McAllister, Councilmen Bruce and Barcomb.
Burial Grounds—Alderman Nims, Councilmen Colby and MacKenzie.
Fire Department—Alderman Robinson, Councilmen Robertson and Stanford.
Street Lights—Alderman Nims, Councilmen Feather and Doukas.
Water Works, Sewers and Drains—Alderman McAllister, Councilmen Barcomb and Bruce.
Printing—Mayor Holbrook, Councilmen Colby and Stanford.
Public Parks—Alderman Park, Councilmen Frizzell and Shedd.
Engrossed Bills—Alderman Park, Councilmen Whitcomb and Clark.
Police Department—Alderman Robinson, Councilmen Clark and Feather.
Public Library—Alderman Nims, Councilmen Robertson and Frink.
Welfare—Mayor Holbrook and President Parker.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Bills on Second Reading—Aldermen Park, McAllister and Robinson.
Licenses—Aldermen Nims, McAllister and Holbrook.
Ladies' Park—Mayor Holbrook, Mrs. Edith K. Watson and Alderman Robinson.
Licensing Board—Mayor Holbrook, Chief of Police Robert E. Tucker and Walker S. Kimball.
Claims—Full Board.

Common Council

City Hall—Mayor Holbrook, President Parker and City Messenger.
Election and Returns—Councilmen Barcomb, Shedd and Frink.
Bills on Second Reading—Councilmen Feather, Bruce and Streeter.

CITY OFFICERS

CITY AUDITOR
Walter M. Hubbard

CITY SOLICITOR
Walker S. Kimball

CITY TREASURER
Harold I. Chandler

BOARD OF HEALTH
Ernest L. Bell, Jr., 1937; Dr. Walter F. Taylor, 1938; John H. Simpson, 1939

HEALTH OFFICER
Evan C. White

CHIEF ENGINEER
Eugene B. Riley

ASSISTANT ENGINEERS
John H. Simpson
Elwin H. Applin

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
George E. Fairbanks

CITY MESSENGER
William B. Stickels

JUSTICE OF MUNICIPAL COURT OF KEENE
Charles A. Madden

CLERK OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF KEENE
Don J. Williams

PROBATION OFFICER
Harold F. Drew

POLICE COMMISSIONERS
John H. Kennedy*, 1933; William E. Hetherman, 1936; Arthur B. Nims, 1937; Charles W. Gray, September 8, 1939

CHIEF OF POLICE
Robert E. Tucker

SERGEANT
Harold B. Burns

CONSTABLES
Robert E. Tucker
Harold B. Burns

REGULAR POLICE OFFICERS
Carl B. Swanstrom
William J. Wheelock
William C. Hadley
Michael F. Griffin
Fred J. Bergeron
Ronald M. Seaver
Paul J. Fontaine
Daniel D. Henderson

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*Died August 6, 1939.

CITY PHYSICIAN
Walter F. Taylor

OVERSEER OF POOR
Paul B. Hayward

CITY ENGINEER
Ralph H. Clark

SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES AND SEXTON
Frank C. Potter, 45 Beaver Street

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES AND WATERWORKS, SEWERS AND DRAINS
Arthur A. Wallace
John H. Denison, Assistant Water Works, Sewers & Drain Dept.

PARK COMMISSIONER
Robert T. Kingsbury

LIBRARIAN
Mary L. Saxton

ASSISTANT LIBRARIANS
Lena C. Bishop — Virginia Hall — Bessie M. McGregor

CHILDREN'S LIBRARIAN
Mrs. Frederick C. Stearns

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Permanent Trustees	**Elected by the City Councils**
Robert T. Kingsbury	1937
John J. Colony	Augustus B. Palmer
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	Chester B. Jordan
	1939
	Philip H. Faulkner
	Elizabeth S. Pressler

INSPECTOR OF BUILDING
Ralph H. Clark

INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING
John H. Fitzgerald

ASSESSORS
James H. Fish — John H. Smith — Charles K. Whitcomb

TAX COLLECTOR
Jay H. Russell

DEPUTY TAX COLLECTOR
Myron A. Nims

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
Harry A. Page, 1937; John L. Saunders, 1938; Harold I. Chandler, 1939

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND LUMBER

Milan H. Johnson	Edward J. P. Olmstead
George E. Newman, Jr.	Alfred Kendall
Carl M. Lagerberg, Jr.	Walter G. Perry
Charles H. Mason	Silas Spring
Robert B. Chase	Samuel V. Thompson
James Mugford	Melvin H. Haselton
Henry S. Hoisington	Ruel B. Travis
Max A. Thomas	Guy W. Davis

Victor W. Newell

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Eugene Desruisseau
Darrold E. Whitney
George T. Hope
Horace W. Sawyer
Heman H. Hyde
W. H. Hume
Elmer A. Watkins
Ferdinand A. Dutrisac
Joseph L. Hope
Homer A. Cote
Joseph R. Bruce
Richard Wood

FENCE VIEWERS

Ralph H. Clark
*Edward B. Holmes

GAUGERS

Edward H. Newell
Elmer A. Watkins

ZONING-BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Howard B. Kirk
Holland S. Wheeler
George W. S. Platts
Philip H. Faulkner
Roger W. Goodnow

MUNICIPAL TELEPHONES

Keene, City of, Assessors' Office, City Hall....1672
Board of Health, Agent, rear City Hall....1621
City Clerk's Office, City Hall....50
Clerk of Municipal Court....1671
Fire Station, Vernon....23
Highway Department, Office....1509
Incinerator....1357-M
Inspector of Buildings, City Hall....1349
Keene Public Library, 79 West....355-W
Overseer of Poor, City Hall....1328
Police Station, City Hall....206
Robinhood Swimming Pool, Reservoir....793
Sewage Disposal Plant....1406-W
Tax Collector, Office, City Hall....415
Water Works, Office, City Hall....1053
Res. Clark, Ralph H., 30 Portland....1797-J
Res. Hayward, Paul D., 21 Forest....1589-W
Res. Potter, Frank C., 45 Beaver St....1265
Res. Raymond, Herbert E., 101 Main....1406-R
Res. Riley, Eugene B., 109 Blake....1101
Res. Stickels, Wm. B., 27 Center....593-W
Res. Tucker, Robert E., 306 Court....502
Res. Wallace, Arthur A., 81 Baker....1442
Res. Whitcomb, Frank H., 171 West....1217-W

WARD OFFICERS

MODERATORS

Ward 1.—Chandler B. McAllister.
Ward 2.—Winfield M. Chaplin.
Ward 3.—Cowling Hilton.
Ward 4.—Karl R. Beedle.
Ward 5.—Frank Slocomb.

CLERKS

Ward 1.—Charles K. Whitcomb.
Ward 2.—Holland S. Wheeler.
Ward 3.—Charles H. Howard.
Ward 4.—Richard T. Calef.
Ward 5.—James B. Dee.

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*Died Aug. 13, 1939.

SELECTMEN

Ward 1.—Harry E. Larson.
Sherman A. Reed.
Jesse O. Little.

Ward 2.—Forrest W. Hall.
Guy F. Lombard.
George E. Rix.

Ward 3.—Franklin H. Ingalls.
Harry E. Gale.
Howard W. Witham.

Ward 4.—Frank E. Chase.
Lewis H. Dean.
Edwin A. Ellis.

Ward 5.—Alphe J. Parenteau.
Thomas H. Kepple.
Norman O. Trask.

SUPERVISORS

Ward 1.—Paul H. Joy.
Ward 2.—Kirke W. Wheeler.
Ward 3.—Henry L. Barrett.
Ward 4.—Charles A. Kingsbury.
Ward 5.—John B. Dee.

BALLOT INSPECTORS FOR TWO YEARS

Ward 1.—Joseph R. Bruce.
James Fletcher.
Joseph A. Ryan.
Roger Giovannangeli.

Ward 2.—Theodore P. Barton.
Sidney S. Frizzell.
Maurice G. Waling.
John H. Dennis.

Ward 3.—Warren Delano.
Elizabeth Fulton.
John H. Fitzgerald.
Arthur Cummings.

Ward 4.—Daniel E. Hathorn.
Louis A. Piper.
William E. Sweeney.
Edward J. Carr.

Ward 5.—Roger W. Goodnow.
Mabel Clark.
Jeremiah Donovan.
Edward Cotter.

ORDINANCES
AND
JOINT RESOLUTIONS

ORDINANCES AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

In the Year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.
A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a Street Light.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Street Lights cause an electric street light to be installed on Duffy Court.

Passed December 1, 1938.

To the City Councils of the City of Keene, New Hampshire:

The undersigned desires to establish a trust fund of One Hundred Fifty Dollars ($150.00), the income only to be used for the perpetual care and upkeep of the cemetery lot known as the Milo Smith lot in the north division of Woodland Cemetery and desires the City of Keene to accept the same for the purposes above stated.

On notice that the City Councils accept the said trust fund, the amount will be paid over.

Very truly yours,
MILO A. SMITH.

December 1, 1938.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Milo A. Smith Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Milo A. Smith Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lot No. 329 in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees fo Trust Funds according to law.
Passed December 1, 1938.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Minnewawa Bridge.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Highways and Bridges be and hereby is authorized to cause a suitable bridge to be constructed on the branch road over Minnewawa Brook. The bridge to be constructed in accordance with specifications prepared by the City Engineer; and that a sum not exceeding $7,367.00 be appropriated for that purpose, from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed December 1, 1938.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to clearing Ashuelot and Branch Rivers and the Beaver Brook.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works, Sewers and Drains be and hereby is authorized to apply to the W. P. A. for

free labor in clearing the Ashuelot and Branch Rivers and the Beaver Brook from fallen timber and that a sum not exceeding $2,000.00 be and hereby is appropriated for the city's share of the expense thereof, and that the money be raised by taxation.

Passed December 1, 1938.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Water and Sewer in Avalon Place.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works, Sewers and Drains be and hereby is authorized to cause a water main laid in Avalon Place at an estimated cost of $550.00 to be charged to the water department and also a sewer main be laid at a cost of $175.00 and that said $175.00 be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the sewer department not otherwise appropriated for that purpose.

Passed December 15, 1938.

December 27, 1938

To the City Councils of Keene,
Keene, N. H.

Gentlemen:

Paragraph two of the will of Paul F. Babbidge is as follows:

"SECOND. I give and bequeath to the City of Keene, in trust, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00), to expend the income annually in the care, maintenance and improvement, including the care of headstones, of the lot in Woodland Cemetery in said Keene in which my wife is buried."

In conformity with that bequest I inclose my check as Executor to the order of the City of Keene for $200.00 which I would like to have accepted by the City in accordance with the terms of the will.

Yours very truly,

O. E. CAIN

OEC:A—Inclosure

In the Year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Paul F. Babbidge Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Paul F. Babbidge Cemetery Fund of Two Hundred (200) Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lot. No. 532 in Section 13 of Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed January 5, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a Temporary Loan.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That for the purpose of paying such claims against the City of Keene as may fall due during the current municipal term, the Joint Standing Committee on Finance and the City Treasurer of said City

be and hereby are authorized and empowered to make such temporary loans, from time to time, for the use of said city of sums not exceeding in the aggregate the amount of Three Hundred Thousand (300,000) Dollars; said loans being in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year and hereby expressly made payable therefrom; said treasurer giving for said loans the notes of said city, bearing interest, or discounted and signed by said treasurer and the mayor of said City of Keene and payable within one year from their respective dates; and be it further resolved that the above resolution shall take effect upon its passage.

HAROLD L. PARKER,
President of Common Council.
RICHARD L. HOLBROOK,
Mayor.

Passed January 5, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to free use of City Hall.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on City Hall be and hereby is authorized to grant free use of City Hall to the Keene Police Benevolent Association, February 17, 1939.

Passed January 19, 1939.

To the City Councils of Keene, New Hampshire:

I desire to give to the City of Keene, in trust however, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00), the income to be used for the perpetual care of the Marcus Ellis lot, so-called, in Greenlawn Cemetery, being lot No. 159, where my wife, Ruth E. Colton, is buried.

ARTHUR C. COLTON.

January 27, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Arthur C. Colton Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its Councils hereby accepts the Arthur C. Colton Cemetery Fund of Two Hundred Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of the Marcus Ellis Lot No. 159 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed February 2, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the purchase of a Tractor Snow Plow.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Bridges and Streets be and hereby is authorized to purchase one tractor sidewalk snow plow and that the sum of $1,985.00 be taken from the appropriation of the Highway Department.

Passed February 2, 1939.

AN ORDINANCE in amendment of the Zoning Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

Section 1. Amend Section 19 by adding the following Section D at the end of said Section 19:—

D. The board may authorize in special cases in any zoning district, a use other than that permitted by its prescribed limitations, provided that the granting of such special use will not be contrary to the public interests or tend to defeat the purpose of the ordinance, and that the refusal to grant a requested use will, owing to the special conditions, result in unnecessary hardship, and prevent the doing of substantial justice.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

HAROLD L. PARKER,
President Common Council.
RICHARD L. HOLBROOK,
Mayor.

Passed February 16, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Annual Appropriations.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That, in accordance with recommendations of the Joint Standing Committee on Finance, the following sums be and hereby are appropriated:

Ordinary City Charges,	$27,000.00	
Special Repairs—City Hall roof and rest-room,	1,450.00	
City Audit,	1,000.00	
		$29,450.00
Highway Department		
General Maintenance,	$42,000.00	
Oil and Tar,	10,000.00	
Patrol,	5,000.00	
Forestry,	5,000.00	
Incinerator,	1,000.00	
Sidewalks,	7,000.00	
Branch Road Bridge, (appropriated Dec. 1938)	7,367.00	
Cleaning Ashuelot River—Beaver Brook, (appropriated Dec. 1938),	2,000.00	
		79,367.00
Fire Department	$21,000.00	
Repair Roof and Interior Fire Station,	1,400.00	
		22,400.00
Police Department	$28,750.00	
New Square Traffic Lights	750.00	
		29,500.00
Street Lighting		20,000.00
Public Library		
Maintenance,	$7,000.00	
Books,	1,000.00	
		8,000.00

Drains,		7,000.00
Sewer Department and Disposal Plant,		11,000.00
Health Activities and Recreation		
Health Department,	$3,000.00	
Elliot Community Hospital,	5,000.00	
The District Nurse Association,	2,500.00	
Public Parks,	5,000.00	
Public Play Grounds,	1,000.00	
Public Band Concerts,	500.00	
		17,000.00
Garbage Collection,		3,000.00
Welfare Department,		30,000.00
Cemetery Department,		7,500.00
Civic Advertising,		500.00
Patriotic Observance,		300.00
Information Booth,		150.00
Memorial Annuity,		450.00
Monadnock Region Membership,		1,700.00
Money not otherwise appropriated,		5,000.00
Payment on Bonded Indebtedness		
Highway Construction, loan of 1928,	$11,000.00	
Highway Notes, loan of 1929,	5,500.00	
Security Bonds, loan of 1934,	500.00	
		17,000.00
Payment of Interest		
Highway Construction, loan of 1928,	$2,103.75	
Highway Notes, loan of 1929,	1,338.75	
Security Bonds, loan of 1934,	150.00	
		3,592.50
		$292,909.50

And that the sum of Two Hundred Thirty-eight Thousand Dollars be raised by taxation, the present year.

Passed March 2, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a Committee.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Mayor appoint a committee of three to recommend a suitable location for a band stand and approximate cost of the same and report to the councils.

Passed March 2, 1939.

To the City Councils, of the City of Keene:

The undersigned desires to give to the City of Keene, in trust, however, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00), the income to be used for the perpetual care and upkeep of lot No. 361 in Woodland Cemetery.

CHARLES H. MASON

February 23, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Charles H. Mason Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Charles H. Mason Cemetery Fund of Two Hundred Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lot No. 361 in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed March 2, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the conveying of land in Keene.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Mayor is hereby authorized to convey the following described premises to Sophia Merchant of Keene.

Beginning at a stake in the ground located N13-45E 71 feet from an elm stump in the old Concord road. Thence N36-45E 63 feet to a stake at the South side of a dwelling house. Thence N45-30E 240 feet, passing through to a stake at a stone wall, this line borders land of Sophia Merchant. Thence S55-15E along land now or formerly of one Cota a distance of 4.1 feet to a stake located 12 feet Westerly from the Westerly edge of the Concord road concrete pavement. Thence southerly 311.2 feet along a line parallel with, and 12 feet Westerly from the aforesaid Westerly edge of the Concord road concrete pavement to a stake. Thence N13-45E 4.3 feet to the place of beginning, containing about 5416 square feet of land.

The City of Keene is to receive from Sophia Merchant the following described premises in Keene.

Beginning at a stake in the Northerly line of the old Concord road, so called, said stake being located N13-45E 26.7 feet from an elm stump as shown on plan drawn by H. B. O'Neil C. E. and dated December, 1929 showing an exchange of lands between Sophia Merchant and the City of Keene. Thence N13-45E 40 feet to a stake in the ground, said stake being located 12 feet Westerly from the Westerly edge of the Concord road concrete pavement. Thence Southerly 65.5 feet more or less along a line 12 feet Westerly from, and parallel with the Westerly edge of the Concord road pavement to a stake in Beaver Brook. Thence S77-45E 51 feet more or less to the place of beginning, containing about 1020 square feet of land.

Passed March 16, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to sale of Coal Shed.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That Alderman Dayton L. Park be and hereby is appointed agent of the City of Keene and hereby authorized to execute a proper conveyance of a coal shed situate on property of the Boston & Maine Railroad to Morris Foster which has been taken by the City of Keene according to law for taxes due thereon.

Passed April 6, 1939.

Keene, N. H., March 20, 1939.

To The City Councils of The City of Keene, N. H.:

The undersigned wishes to give to the City of Keene the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars ($450.), the income therefrom to be

used for the perpetual care of the Williamson-Kingsbury lots 6, 7 and 8 Circle Plot, Woodland Cemetery, and the cleaning of stones thereon.

EDWARD J. KINGSBURY.

Check enclosed.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Edward J. Kingsbury Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Edward J. Kingsbury Cemetery Fund of Four Hundred Fifty Dollars ($450.00) in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lots 6, 7 and 8 Circle Plot, in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed April 6, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a Band Stand.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of Five Hundred Fifty Dollars ($550.00) be and hereby is appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the erection of a permanent band stand in Fuller Park under the direction of the City Engineer.

Passed April 6, 1939.

REPORT OF THE 1939 COMMITTEE ON CONSOLIDATION

Your committee has met and carried out its instruction to study and bring in a plan for consolidation of various departments in the city. It has called before it all of the superintendents for detailed reports and has made a careful study of policy, personnel and interrelationship of work in all departments.

Based upon this study the committee has made the conclusion that consolidation is best served,—1. By making permanent and mandatory the trial of joint-operation of the departments of streets, bridges, drains, sewers and waterworks. 2. By allowing the park and cemetery departments to function as separate units.

In order to complete the consolidation recommended, your committee has concluded that the following steps are necessary and advisable:

1. That the city solicitor prepare the necessary changes in the ordinances to place the direction of the departments of streets, bridges, drains, sewers and water in the hands of one committee and one superintendent, the combination of these departments to be known as the Public Works Department of the City of Keene.
2. That the city solicitor prepare the necessary changes in the ordinances to allow the salary of the superintendent to be set at $4,000 yearly, $1,400 to be charged to highway expense, $1,400 to waterworks expense, $600 to drains and $600 to sewers. The superintendent shall maintain his own car.

3. That the joint committee on streets and water be authorized to conduct a survey for a suitable building or location for new quarters for these departments, including the offices and records.
4. That when and if this location is found, the land and buildings committee be authorized to approach the owners for possible purchase and cost to the city.
5. That the streets and waterworks committee and the land and building committee be authorized to plan and secure the cost of any necessary repairs, alterations or building connected with the new location.
6. That the finance committee prepare the necessary joint resolutions allowing the purchase of a possible new location, alterations or repairs to the same, and the procuring of the necessary money to pay for same by issue of bonds in the usual and legal manner.

Your committee also recommends passage of the ordinance change to set the annual salary of the Park Commissioner at $500.

The committee also wishes to call your attention to the fact that acceptance by you of this report is only your approval of having these surveys made and these ordinances and resolutions drawn to be submitted to you for approval or rejection.

Members of this committee who were present at the meeting at which this report was adopted were Mayor Holbrook, as presiding officer, and Aldermen McAllister, Park, and Nims, and Councilmen Stanford, Bruce, Robertson, and City Solicitor Kimball, all of whom voted in the affirmative.

AN ORDINANCE amending Chapter XXXV, Section 9 of the City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the third line of section 9 of Chapter 35 be amended by striking out the words "two thousand" and inserting in place thereof "twenty-four hundred."

Passed April 20, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Portable Fire Pumper.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of $385.00 be and hereby is appropriated for the purchase of a portable fire pumper, under the direction of the Joint Standing Committee on Fire Department. Said amount to be raised by taxation the present year.

Passed April 20, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Lease of Land.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Down Timber Committee be and it is hereby authorized to lease land of the New England Box Company for $50.00 per year, for the purpose of sticking up lumber on the Fowler lot, so-called, on north side of Arch Street.

Passed April 20, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to collections and discounts on Taxes.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the tax collector be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to allow a discount of two per centum on all taxes assessed the present year, which shall be paid on or before August 1st, 1939, except poll taxes, which are due and payable April 1st, 1939.

That the tax collector is hereby authorized to give notice in writing of persons whose taxes shall be unpaid, after the same have been due and payable for a period of two weeks and if the said taxes are not paid within fourteen days after the said notice, then the said collector may charge twenty cents for said notice and may distrain for the same.

That the tax collector is hereby authorized to appoint such deputies as he may see fit, which said deputies shall be sworn, give bond to the satisfaction of the city, and have the powers of collectors, and who may be removed at the pleasure of the collector.

Passed April 20, 1939.

AN ORDINANCE Amending Chapter 35, Section 21 of the City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That Section 21, of Chapter 35 be stricken out and the following section substituted in place thereof.

Section 21. The park commissioner shall receive in full for his services and all the duties pertaining to his office, the sum of five hundred dollars per year, payable monthly. This ordinance shall take effect January 1, 1939.

Passed April 20, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to City Hall.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the free use of City Hall be granted to John Sedgwick Post, No. 4, G. A. R., for the usual Memorial Day Observance.

Passed May 4, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to an Appropriation for Welfare Department.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of Five Thousand Dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the Welfare Department and that the said sum be raised by taxation the present year.

Passed May 4, 1939.

AN ORDINANCE to establish a Public Works Department.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

Amend the Chapters III and V by striking out the same and inserting in place thereof a new Chapter III as follows:

Chapter III
Public Works Department

Section 1. The city councils shall in the month of January of each year and also whenever any vacancy shall occur by resignation or otherwise, elect a superintendent of public works in convention and by joint ballot to hold his office until the first Tuesday of January next succeeding his election and until another is chosen in his stead, unless removed by the city councils.

Section 2. The superintendent of public works under the direction and control of the city councils shall have the immediate care, supervision and general charge of all the highways, streets, lanes, sidewalks, bridges, drains, sewers and water works and shall do all such things in the construction, maintenance, repair, alteration and management, as he may be directed to do by the said city councils.

Highways: Article 1. The superintendent shall cause all the highways, streets, lanes, sidewalks, bridges, to be kept in repair, so as to be safe and convenient for travelers and their conveyances at all seasons of the year. He shall, under the direction of the city councils make all necessary contracts and certify accounts for the supply of labor or materias he may require in the discharge of his official duties.

Article 2. Whenever any highway or bridge or street of the city shall, from want of necessary repairs or by reason of any alteration or repairs being made, of any drain, common sewer or culvert being open or constructed across or through the same, be unsafe or inconvenient for travelers or passengers, said superintendent shall forthwith put up a suitable fence across such highway, street or bridge, and exclude all travelers from passing over the same; or cause the part thereof so rendered unsafe or inconvenient, as aforesaid, to be enclosed by a sufficient fence, which shall be kept standing so long as the same shall remain unsafe or inconvenient; and he shall fix one or more lighted lanterns to said fence, to be kept there every night from twilight in the evening and through the whole night so long as said fence shall be kept standing. No person shall enter or go upon any highway, street or road under construction or undergoing repairs which has been closed by the superintendent of streets in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 3, Article 2 of the City Ordinances. Any person violating the provisions of Article 2 of this ordinance shall be fined not exceeding ten dollars.

Article 3. If, at certain seasons of the year, weather or other conditions make it advisable that certain highways or sections of highways be closed to certain classes or weights of vehicles to avoid damage to such highways or sections thereof, said Superintendent shall, with the approval of the city councils close such highways or sections thereof to the class or classes of vehicles causing or liable to cause damage for such time as may be necessary. When such highways or sections thereof are to be closed said superintendent shall cause a notice thereof to be posted at each end of such highways or sections thereof. Any person violating this section by using such highway or sections thereof when closed and properly posted shall be liable to a fine of not less than $10.00 or more than $100.00 for each offense.

Article 4. The superintendent shall annually on or before the first day of December, make a written report of his doings to the city councils which shall include an inventory of the property in the city in his custody and control, a full and itemized statement showing in what manner and in what localities the expenses of his department have been incurred and making such recommendations as he may deem advisable for the best interests of the city. He shall judiciously expend such sums of money as may be necessary, out of the yearly appropriations, for the repairs of highways of the city, and shall each week file in the office of the city clerk an approved pay-roll, setting forth the names of all persons hired, the length of time each has been employed and the amount of compensation. He shall also state the localities in which work has been done during the week. He shall have charge of the teams, tools and other equipment of the highway department and shall see that the same are kept in suitable repair and are properly housed. He shall expend such appropriations as may be made by the city councils for permanent construction upon such streets and highways and in such manner as he may be directed by the city councils. He shall have no power to create any debt against the city for any purpose in excess of the appropriation therefor and all appropriations shall be expended for the purpose designated by the city councils and not otherwise. The superintendent shall, when ordered by the city councils to repair any highway or street, give at least thirty days' notice, in writing, to all parties having pipes, conduits or other property beneath the surface of such street, of such order, that repairs upon water, sewer, drain and gas pipes, or electric or telephone conduits may be made before said highway or street may be repaired or reconstructed; and when such repairs shall have been made, said highway or street shall not be disturbed or excavations made, except by permission the city councils, but in cases of emergency the mayor may give permission to make repairs upon pipes or conduits beneath the street, under the direction of the superintendent of streets, and he may, at his discretion, cause said parties making such repairs, to give a suitable bond to leave the highway after such repairs have been made in a condition satisfactory to the superintendent of streets. No persons or corporation shall excavate or otherwise disturb any concrete, asphalt, stone, brick or other similar pavement without consent of the city councils (except in case of unusual emergency when permission may be granted by the mayor) and when such permission is given said pavement shall not be excavated or removed till the person or corporation procuring said permission for the purpose of doing any necessary work shall file a bond with the city clerk to the approval of the mayor conditioned to restore said pavement after said work is done to a condition as good as before the same was disturbed, and the work of excavation and removal and restoration shall in all such cases be done under the direction of the superintendent.

Article 5. Any person or corporation owning pipes laid in the streets or highways of the city, desiring to relay or repair the same, shall, before digging up any ground where the same are laid, notify the superintendent of streets of their purpose, and the superintendent of streets shall have supervision of the same and shall be responsible for the street or highway so dug up being restored to as

good a condition as it was in previously, the expense of such supervision to be assumed by said person or corporation.

Article 6. The management of the incinerating plant for destruction of rubbish, garbage and other waste, shall be under the direction of the superintendent.

All material brought to the incinerating plant for disposal shall be classified as follows:

A—Dead animals weighing 200 pounds, or less.

B—Ashes and like material.

C—Rubbish and garbage.

Dead animals, weighing 200 pounds, or less, can be easily cared for and will be accepted for destruction.

Ashes and like material that would smother the fire shall be kept separate from rubbish and garbage.

A place will be provided for their disposal at the plant.

Rubbish and garbage will include all waste material not covered by the first two classifications. Tin cans, glass bottles, broken crockery and like articles cannot be destroyed in the incinerator. These articles will be disposed of at the plant only if brought there in separate containers. All combustible materials must be kept clear of salt, water and other substances that prevent combustion.

Swill, offal, fish heads and other putrid, decaying and offensive matter, brought in receptacles other than metal, must be destroyed with the container.

No waste shall be brought to the plant before eight o'clock a. m. or after 4:30 p. m., without special arrangement with the attendant.

No person shall dump or cause to be dumped, any rubbish, garbage or other material on or about the premises of the incinerating plant, except under the supervision and direction of attendant.

All trucks or other vehicles used to convey materials to the plant shall be covered so as to prevent papers or other articles from blowing or falling from said trucks or vehicles. No materials brought from other towns shall be accepted at the plant.

Any violation of this section shall be subject to a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

Water works, Sewers and Drains: Article 1. The construction, maintenance and management of the water works, sewers and drains shall be carried out by the city councils, and said city councils shall hereafter exercise all the powers vested in them by an act of the legislature approved July 3, 1873, entitled "An act to establish the city of Keene".

Article 2. The immediate care and supervision of the water works, sewers and drains shall be vested in the superintendent.

Article 3. The superintendent shall take charge of the reservoirs, aqueduct, lands and other property connected with the water works, and of the sewers and drains, as the city councils may, from time to time, direct, and shall perform all such services in relation thereto as may be required of him by said city councils; and he shall annually, on or before the first day of December, present to the city councils a report of the general condition of the works; also, a statement of the expenditures, the number of water takers, the number

of sewer connections, the number of cases in which the water has been cut off, and such other matters as he may deem expedient.

Article 4. The superintendent shall, before the first day of January, April, July and October of each year, make and deliver to the collector of taxes and water assessments a true record of all such bills.

Article 5. The superintendent shall keep suitable books, in which shall be entered the names of all persons who take water, the kind of building, the name of the street, the nature of the use, the number of takers, the amount charged and amount of abatements, which shall always be open to the inspection of any member of the city councils. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen shall examine and approve all abatements of Twenty-five dollars or more of water assessments before said abatements shall become effective.

Article 6. All bills for expenditures for the water works, sewers or drains shall, before they are presented to the auditor, be approved by the joint standing committee on water works, sewers and drains, if contracted in making extensions, and by the superintendent if incurred in making repairs, and by the board of mayor and aldermen if incurred for drains constructed in connection with macadamizing.

Article 7. Money received on account of the water department and the sewer department, whether from the collection of water rates, or in payment for labor done by the water department and the sewer department or in payment for property or the use of property belonging to the water department or the sewer department, shall be paid weekly or oftener into the city treasury, and shall be placed to the credit of the water and sewer departments; and shall be and constitute an appropriation for the payment of the ordinary expenses of the water and sewer departments, the interest and principal of water and sewer bonds or loans, the expense of new construction in the water or sewer departments and of additions to the water or sewer department plant, and any other expenses strictly on account of and for the purposes of the water and sewer departments.

Article 8. The rent for the use of water shall be payable on the first day of January, April, July and October, and if not paid on or before the 20th day of the month due, the water shall be shut off without notice to the consumer and the water shall not again be let on except upon the payment of the rent due and the additional sum of one dollar to cover the expenses of shutting off and turning on the water. The board of mayor and aldermen shall cause all buildings connected with the water mains or services to be equipped with suitable meters for the measurement of water supplied to the inhabitants. The size of the standard meter for a dwelling house shall be determined by the joint standing committee on water works, sewers and drains; provided, however, that any person requiring a larger meter than the standard size so adopted shall pay to the water department the difference in cost thereof.

Article 9. No person shall bathe in, catch or take fish from any of the reservoir ponds or brooks connected with and forming part of the water supply of the city of Keene. Nor shall any person, without permission of the superintendent of water works, place or use a boat

upon any of said reservoir ponds or cross or go upon said reservoir ponds or brooks upn the ice with a team or teams, or otherwise.

Any person violating any of the provisions of Sect. 11 of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

Article 10. The water, sewer and drain department shall make all water and sewer connections and furnish and lay all pipe and other materials for the same, to the inside of the cellar wall for the following fees:

Sewer, $11.00 to Street line:

From Street line to cellar 40c per ft. plus cost of pipe based on 5 ft. 4 in. extra heavy soil pipe at 50c per ft., or $2.50 per section.

Water, ¾″ tap, ¾″ pipe to Street line $11.00:

From street line to cellar 40c per ft. ¾″ lever handle stop and waste cock, $1.65.

¾″ tap, 1″ pipe to street line, $12.00. From street line to cellar 45c per foot. 1″ lever handle stop and waste cock, $2.50.

1″ tap, 1″ pipe to street line, $13.50. From street line to cellar 45c per foot. 1″ lever handle stop and waste cock, $2.50.

1″ tap, 1¼″ pipe to street line, $15. From street line to cellar, 50c per foot, 1¼″ wheel valve, $4.00.

From the mains to the street line in cement and brick paved streets the cost of pipe and labor.

No tap shall be made larger than 1″ except by special permission, with proportionate charge for stock and labor.

Anyone preferring brass pipe may have it by paying the difference in cost. In no case shall the water be turned on or the soil pipe used until the above charges shall have been paid.

Article 11. All stop boxes placed in highways of this city, with the upper end at the surface of the street, shall be covered with a suitable iron cover with a drop flange to properly fit the inside of said boxes, of not less than five inches in depth, the whole to be of such weight and construction as not to be displaced by the passage over them of animals or carriages. All gas and water boxes, sewer manholes and flush tanks, with covers designed to be at the surface of the public highways of this city, which may have been thrown up by the frost, or from which the gravel has been worn away, shall be at once brought to grade, either by the replacing of gravel, or by the sinking or shortening of such boxes, and kept in such relation to the streets at all seasons of the year; and it shall be the duty of the superintendent to see that the boxes and covers, whether belonging to the city or individuals, in the public highways of Keene, are made to conform to the requirements of this ordinance, and kept in such condition.

Article 12. The superintendent is hereby directed to carry out and enforce the rules and regulations of the Keene Water Works as adopted by the city councils. Said superintendent is hereby authorized and empowered to establish such system of inspection as he may deem necessary to see that said rules and regulations are observed and enforced, and to report to the proper officials, for action, any violation thereof.

In cases of misrepresentation, misuse or waste of water, non-payment of rent, or for neglect or refusal to comply with the established rules and regulations of the water works, the superintendent may cause the supply to be shut off and withheld from any service pipe until the cause of the complaint is removed and the sum of one dollar is paid for the expense of shutting off the water.

The right to shut off the water for repairs, extensions and other necessary purposes of the works, is at all times reserved; also in case of scarcity, or deficient supply, the use for garden hose and other purposes for which comparatively low rates are charged, are to be subject to such restrictions as may be deemed necessary to meet the exigencies of the occasion. And in case of fire, it is the duty of all users to shut off and discontinue, as far as practicable, all draughts from the works which may lessen the pressure at the fire hydrants.

HAROLD L. PARKER,
President Common Council.
RICHARD L. HOLBROOK,
Mayor.

A true copy. Attest:

FRANK H. WHITCOMB,
City Clerk.

Passed May 4, 1939.

AN ORDINANCE to establish the salary of the Superintendent of Public Works.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

Amend Chapter XXXV by striking out Sections 6 and 17 and inserting in place thereof a new Section 6 as follows:

The superintendent of public works shall receive in full for his services the sum of four thousand dollars payable in equal monthly payments. This salary shall be chargeable as follows: $1,400 yearly to highway expense, $1,400.00 yearly to water works expense, $600.00 yearly to sewer expense and $600.00 yearly to drain expense. The Superintendent shall furnish his own transportation.

HAROLD L. PARKER,
President Common Council.
RICHARD L. HOLBROOK,
Mayor.

A true copy. Attest:

FRANK H. WHITCOMB,
City Clerk.

Passed May 4, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Purchase of a Truck.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works, Sewers and Drains be and hereby is authorized to purchase a truck for the Water Department, not to exceed a cost of $1,300.00, to be charged to the water works department fund.

Passed May 18, 1939.

May 10, 1939

To the City Councils,
Keene, New Hampshire.

Gentlemen:—Nellie M. Cook in her will made the following bequest to the City of Keene:

> "I give and bequeath to the City of Keene, New Hampshire, as trustee, in trust, the sum of Two Hundred ($200.00) Dollars, to hold, manage and to use the income therefrom annually, in the care of my cemetery lot in Woodland Cemetery in said Keene."

Attached hereto is a check in the amount of $200.00 in payment of this legacy.

Will you kindly send me proper receipt?

Very truly yours,
W. H. WATSON.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Nellie M. Cook Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Nellie M. Cook Cemetery Fund of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00) in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lot No. 25, Section 6 in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed May 18, 1939.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils,
City of Keene:

Adna Ephraim Kendall in his will provided a fund of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) for the care of a certain lot in Greenlawn Cemetery. The clause under which this is left is as follows:

> "I direct that the sum of Five Hundred ($500.00) Dollars be placed in trust with my sisters Eliza M. Foskett and Ada M. Sherman and Cora A. Dort, the interest of which is to be used in paying for the care of our lot in Greenlawn Cemetery, which stands in the name of Kendall, Foskett, Sherman and Dort, this money to be kept so long as two of the trustees survive. When there is only one living she shall arrange with the City of Keene in the usual manner to hold the money and give the lot perpetual care."

The time has now arrived when the $500.00 should be turned over under the terms and conditions of the will and I shall be ready to turn this over at any time after June 1st, 1939, upon proper receipt from the City Treasurer.

CORA A. DORT, Trustee.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Adna Ephraim Kendall Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Adna Ephraim Kendall Cemetery Fund of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00)

in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lots No. 283 and 284 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed May 18, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to an Electric Street Light.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Street Lights cause an Electric Street Light to be installed on Gilsum Street at its discretion.

Passed June 1, 1939.

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16 Queensberry St., Boston, Mass.
May 25, 1939.

Mr. Frank H. Whitcomb, City Clerk,
Keene, N. H.

My dear Mr. Whitcomb:—The undersigned desires to give to the City of Keene, in trust, the sum of one hundred fifty dollars ($150.00), to be known as the George A. and Grace L. Howard Cemetery Fund, the interest only to be used in care of Lot 11½—Section 8 in Woodland Cemetery.

I trust that you will be willing to transmit the proper resolution to the City Government and (or) take such other steps as may be customary in these cases.

Very truly yours,
LAWRENCE A. HOWARD.

Check enclosed.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the George A. and Grace L. Howard Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the George A. and Grace L. Howard Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Fifty (150) Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lot No. 11½, Section 8 in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed June 1, 1939.

AN ORDINANCE to Amend Section I of Chapter XXIX by striking out the same and inserting in place thereof the following.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

Section I. The following named officers of the city shall not enter upon the duties of their office until they have furnished bonds, approved by the mayor and aldermen, for the faithful discharge of their duties, in the following sums, to wit: Treasurer, in the sum of thirty thousand dollars; superintendent of public works, in the sum of two thousand dollars; collector of taxes and water rents, in the sum of twenty thousand dollars; city clerk, in the sum of one thou-

sand dollars; Chief of Police, in the sum of three hundred dollars; city messenger, in the sum of three hundred dollars; constables, in the sum of three hundred dollars each; superintendent of public cemeteries, in the sum of one thousand dollars.

Passed June 1, 1939.

Keene, N. H., May 22, 1939

To the City Councils:

The undersigned desires to give to the City of Keene, in trust, however, the sum of One Hundred Dollars, to be added to the Elmer A. Underwood Cemetery fund, which the income is for the care of G. L. Greenwood Lot No. 38, Section 8 in Woodland Cemetery.

EDNA GREENWOOD HAYES,
8 Cumberland St.,
Boston, Mass.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to an addition to the Elmer A. Underwood Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the addition to the Elmer A. Underwood Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of G. L. Greenwood Lot No. 38, Section 8 in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds, according to law.

Passed June 1, 1939.

Keene, N. H., May 31, 1939.

To the City Councils:

The undersigned desires to give to the City of Keene, in trust, however, the sum of one Hundred Fifty dollars and known as Farr and Hager Cemetery Fund. The income to be used for the care of lot No. 1042 in Woodlawn Cemetery Extension.

LESLIE J. FARR, Admr.,
for Oscar R. Farr Estate.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Farr and Hager Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Farr and Hager Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lot No. 1042 in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed June 1, 1939.

East Orange, N. J., June 4, 1939.

To the City Councils of the City of Keene, N. H.

Gentlemen:—I desire to give to the city of Keene, in trust however, the sum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, the income only to be

used for the perpetual care of my cemetery lot, number 265, in Woodland Cemetery. Check is enclosed herewith.

ROYAL V. BRYANT.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Royal V. Bryant Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Royal V. Bryant Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lot No. 265 in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed June 15, 1939.

AN ORDINANCE Add to Section 10, Chapter XVIII, Article IV.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

On the north side of Winter Street, west of Court Street to the east line of the Junior High School.

Passed June 15, 1939.

Bristol, New Hampshire, June 5, 1939.

To the City Councils of the City of Keene:

Gentlemen:—We desire to give to the City of Keene, in trust however, the sum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, the income only to be used for the perpetual care of the Calvin Bryant lot in Greenlawn Cemetery. Check is enclosed herewith.

ROYAL V. BRYANT,
GRACE V. BRYANT.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Royal V. and Grace V. Bryant Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Royal V. and Grace V. Bryant Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of the Calvin Bryant Lot No. 340 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed June 15, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Adjournment.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That when these bodies adjourn, it be to meet on the first Thursday of September next, at 7:30 p. m., unless ordered by the mayor.

Passed June 15, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Sale of Properties.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Assessors of Taxes of the City of Keene, be and hereby are authorized to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, or by Private Sale after advertising, in behalf of said city, the following pieces of property now owned by the City of Keene, having been taken according to law for the taxes due thereon, and to execute a proper conveyance of the same, when the tax collector has made the necessary transfers, to wit:

Lot 128, Baker Manor (Faces on Baker St.)
Lots 21-65-66-67-68 & 76 Homestead Villa
17⅓ acres land, West Hill
Lots 96-97, Baker Manor
Lots 98-99-100-101 & 102 Baker Manor
Lots 143 & 144, with Bldgs., Arlington Ave.
Land, cor. Marlboro & Branch Roads
Lots 185 & 186, Ashuelot Park
Lots 32 & 33, Baker Manor
Lots 109-110-111-112 & 113, Pearl St. Gardens
Bldg. only—No land, Wakefield Street
Lots 22-25 & 27, Martin St.
Lots 16 & 17 Royal Ave.
Passed June 15, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Water (in Blossom Street).

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That a water main be laid in Blossom Street from No. 18 northerly for a distance of three hundred and twenty feet at an estimated cost of $825.00 to be paid for out of the Water Works revenues.

Passed July 25, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Water and Sewer (in Greenwood Ave.)

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That a water main be laid in Greenwood Avenue from the end easterly for about 250 feet at an estimated cost of $560.00 to be paid for out of the Water Works revenues. Also that a sewer main be laid in said Greenwood Avenue for the same distance at an estimated cost of $162.50 and that said sum be appropriated from any money in the Sewer Department treasury.

Passed July 25, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Purchase of Land.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works, Sewers and Drains be and hereby is authorized to purchase 119.9 acres of land from Frank A. Cole, said land being situate in the Town of Roxbury and on the City's water shed, for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, which sum is to be taken from the water revenues; and that the City of Keene shall at its own expense maintain the fence against said Cole's other property.

Passed September 7, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Catch Basins in Baker Street.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works, Sewers and Drains be and hereby is authorized to construct five catch basins in Baker Street at an estimated cost of $175.00.

Passed September 7, 1939.

September 5, 1939

Frank H. Whitcomb, City Clerk,
Keene, New Hampshire

My dear Mr. Whitcomb:—Mabelle I. Ayers died August 28, 1939, leaving a will, Item 2 of which is as follows:

"Item 2. I give and bequeath to the city of Keene, New Hampshire, One Hundred Fifty ($150.00) dollars to be safely invested and the income used for the perpetual care of the Ayers' burial lot in Woodland Cemetery in Keene."

Mrs. Gertrude Spaulding is executrix of the will and is ready to pay the amount indicated as soon as the city votes to accept it.

Very truly,
ROY M. PICKARD.

RMP:PS

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Mabelle I. Ayers Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Mabelle I. Ayers Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, in trust, however the income to be used for the care of Lot 11, Section 3 in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed September 7, 1939.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils
City of Keene, New Hampshire

The heirs of the Henry W. Harvey Estate wish to give to the city One Hundred Fifty ($150.00) Dollars under the usual terms and conditions. This sum to be safely invested and the income used for the perpetual care of the lot where Henry W. Harvey and his wife, Maria R. Harvey are buried. This is lot No. 32, Section 2, Woodland Cemetery in Keene. I am authorized by the heirs to make this statement and say that we will pay $150 when the city has indicated that it will receive it.

Given at Keene, this 23rd day of August, 1939.

HENRY W. HARVEY ESTATE,
By Arthur H. Harvey, Executor.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Henry W. Harvey Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the Henry W. Harvey Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, in trust,

however, the income to be used for the care of Lot No. 32, Section 2 in Woodland Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed September 7, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Water and Sewer (in Vine Street).

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That a water main be laid from Leverett Street north in Vine Street about 200 feet at an estimated cost of $380.00 to be paid for out of the Water Works revenues. Also that a sewer main be laid in Vine Street at an estimated cost of $165.00 and that said sum be appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for that purpose.

Passed September 7, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the acceptance of Deed of Land.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils hereby accepts by deed from the Holbrook Realty Corporation, certain lands northerly of West Street in West Keene for highway purposes.

Passed September 21, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the addition to the William C. Coggins Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils, hereby accepts the addition to the William C. Coggins Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lot No. 370 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed September 21, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to free use of City Hall.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on City Hall be and hereby is authorized to grant free use of City Hall to the Keene Tax Payers Association, November 3, 1939.

Passed September 21, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to free use of City Hall.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on City Hall be and hereby is authorized to grant free use of City Hall to the Keene Fire Department, October 12, 1939.

Passed October 5, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Band Stand.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Lands and Buildings be and hereby is authorized to enclose the band stand and that the sum of Fifty Dollars be appropriated for that purpose from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed October 5, 1939.

Keene, N. H., Oct. 3, 1939.

The undersigned desires to give to the City of Keene, in trust, however, the sum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, the income only to be used in the care of Lot No. 42 in the N. E. Division of Woodland Cemetery. (Circle Plot).

F. LULA OLIVER.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the F. Lula Oliver Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the F. Lula Oliver Cemetery Fund of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, in trust, however the income to be used for the care of Lot No. 42 in the N. E. Division of Woodland Cemetery. (Circle Plot).

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed October 5, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to free use of City Hall.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on City Hall be and hereby is authorized to grant free use of City Hall to the Gordon-Bissell Post, No. 4, American Legion, November 10, 1939.

Passed October 19, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Water and Sewer. (Stanhope Avenue).

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works, Sewers and Drains, be and hereby is authorized to cause the water main in Stanhope Avenue to be extended a distance of about 250 feet at an estimated cost of $600.00, to be paid for out of the Water Works revenues. Also that the sewer main be extended for a distance of about 250 feet in said avenue at an estimated cost of $250.00 and that said sum be appropriated from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed October 19, 1939.

AN ORDINANCE relating to establishment of City Planning Board.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

Sect. 1. That the provisions of Chapter 55 of the Public Laws of New Hampshire, 1935, as amended by Public Acts of New Hampshire,

1937, be hereby adopted by the City of Keene, for the creation of a City Planning Board, in so far as below set forth.

Sect. 2. That said City Planning Board shall consist of nine members, namely, the Mayor, one of the administrative officials of the municipality, who shall be selected by the Mayor, and a member of the City Councils who shall be selected by the City Councils, the first three members above named being ex-officio members of said City Planning Board, and six persons who shall be appointed by the Mayor.

Sect. 3. That all members of said City Planning Board shall be residents of said city and shall serve as members without compensation and the appointed members shall hold no other municipal office, except that one of such appointed members may be a member of the Zoning Board of Adjustment. The terms of ex-officio members shall correspond to their respective official tenures, or in case of an administrative official selected by the Mayor shall terminate with the term of the Mayor selecting him and/or her. The terms of the appointed members shall be as follows: one for one year, one for two years, one for three years, one for four years, one for five years, and one for six years, and thereafter terms of appointed officers shall be for six years each. Vacancies occurring in membership of the said City Planning Board, otherwise than through the expiration of the term shall be filled for the duration of the unexpired term by the Mayor, except in case of the member selected by the City Councils, wherein if such a vacancy occur it shall be filled by appointment by the City Councils.

Sect. 4. Members of the City Planning Board, other than members selected by the City Councils may, after public hearing, be removed by the Mayor for inefficiency, neglect of duty, or malfeasance in office. The Mayor shall file with the City Clerk a written statement of reasons for such removal.

Sect. 5. The said City Planning Board shall elect its chairman from amongst the appointed members and create and fill such other offices as it may deem necessary for its work. The term of the chairman shall be one year, with eligibility for re-election. The said Board shall hold at least one regular meeting in each month. Said Board shall adopt rules for the transaction of business and shall keep a record of its resolutions, transactions, findings and determinations, which record shall be a public record and kept in an office designated for said records.

Sect. 6. The said Planning Board may appoint such employes as it may deem necessary for its work, whose appointment, promotion, demotion and removal shall be subject to the same provisions of law as govern other corresponding civil employes of the municipality. The said Planning Board may also contract with city planners, engineers, architects, and other consultants for such services as it may require. The expenditures of the Planning Board, exclusive of gifts, shall be within the amounts appropriated for that purpose by the City Councils.

Sect. 7. It shall be the function and duty of said Planning Board established under the provisions of this Ordinance, to make and to perfect from time to time, so far as funds appropriated for

such purpose will permit, a city plan, for the development of the municipality, including any areas outside of its boundaries which, in the Planning Board's judgment, bear relation to the planning of the municipality. Such city plan, with the accompanying necessary maps, plats, charts and descriptive matters, may be designed with the intention of showing as fully as is possible and practical the said Planning Board's recommendations for the desirable development of the City.

Sect. 8. In the course of the preparation of such city plan the Planning Board may make careful and comprehensive surveys and studies of existing conditions and of data and information relative to the probable future growth of the municipality and its environs. The city plan shall be made with the general purpose of guiding and accomplishing a co-ordinated, adjusted, and harmonious development of the municipality and its environs which will, in accordance with existing and probable future needs, best promote health, safety, morals, order, convenience, prosperity, or the general welfare, as well as efficiency and economy in the process of development; including among other things, adequate provision for traffic, the promotion of safety from fire and other dangers, adequate provision for light and air, the promotion of good civic design and arrangement, wise and efficient expenditure of public funds, and the adequate provision of public utilities and other public requirements.

Sect. 9. The Planning Board may adopt the city plan as a whole by a single resolution or may by successive resolutions adopt successive parts of the plan, said parts corresponding with major geographical sections or divisions of the municipality or with functional subdivisions of the subject matter of the plan, and may adopt any amendment or extension thereof or addition thereto. Such city plan shall be a public record, but its purpose and effect shall be solely to aid the Planning Board in the performance of its duties. The adoption of the city plan or any amendment thereof shall by resolution carried by the affirmative votes of not less than a majority of all the members of the Planning Board. The resolution shall refer expressly to the maps, descriptive matter, and other matters intended by the Planning Board to form the whole or part of the plan, and the action taken shall be recorded on the adopted plan or part thereof adopted by the identifying signature of the chairman or secretary of the Planning Board, and a copy of the plan or part thereof shall be certified to the City Councils.

Sect. 10. The Planning Board shall have authority to promote public interest in and understanding of the city plan and of the official map of the municipality as hereinafter described and to that end may publish and distribute copies of the city plan, or of the aforesaid official map, or of any report and may employ such other means of publicity and education as it may deem advisable. Members of the Planning Board, when duly authorized by the said Planning Board, may attend city planning conferences or meetings of city planning institutes or hearings upon pending city planning legislation, and the Planning Board may, by resolution spread upon its minutes, pay the reasonable traveling expenses incident to such attendance. The Planning Board shall have authority to make such investigations, maps and reports, and recommendations in connection therewith, relating to the planning and development of the municipality, as

seem desirable to it. The Planning Board may, from time to time, report and recommend to the appropriate public officials and public agencies programs for the development of the municipality, for the erection of public structures and improvements and for the financing thereof. It shall be part of the Planning Board's duties to consult and advise with public officials and agencies, public utility companies, civic, educational, professional, research, and other organizations, and with citizens with relation to the protecting or carrying out of the city plan, and to make recommendations relating to the development of the municipality. The Planning Board shall have the right to accept and use gifts for the exercise of its functions. All public officials shall, upon request, furnish to the Planning Board, within a reasonable period of time, such available information as it may properly require for its work. In general, the Planning Board may be given such powers as may be necessary to enable it to fulfill its functions, promote municipal planning, or carry out the purposes of this Ordinance; provided the total expenditures of said Board shall not exceed the appropriation for its expenses.

Sect. 11. The Planning Board may, from time to time, recommend to council amendments of the zoning map or additions thereto to conform to the Board's recommendations for the zoning regulation of the territory comprised within approved subdivisions.

Sect. 13. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed November 16, 1939.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to Appropriations.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That in addition to sums heretofore appropriated the further sums be appropriated for:

Sewer Department and Disposal Plant,	$1,450.00
Public Library, Books,	18.13

Passed November 16, 1939.

Keene, N. H., Nov. 9, 1939.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and City Councils:

In the will of the late Harriet B. Reed is the following bequest:—

"I give and bequeath to the City of Keene the sum of two hundred ($200) dollars, to be held in trust as a perpetual fund, to be kept safely invested and the income annually to be used, one half for the care and maintenance of the Clark N. Chandler burial lot No. 147 in Greenlawn Cemetery and one half for the care and maintenance of the Chandler and Reed burial lot No. 70 in that cemetery.

I am ready to pay the above to the City of Keene as soon as the City Government votes to accept same.

EDWIN D. HAYWARD,
Exr. of Harriet B. Reed Will.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the Harriet B. Reed Cemetery Fund.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City of Keene by its councils hereby accepts the Harriet B. Reed Cemetery Fund of Two Hundred Dollars, in trust, however, the income to be used for the care of Lots Nos. 70 and 147 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

The City Clerk shall receipt for said fund which shall be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds according to law.

Passed November 16, 1939.

ANNUAL REPORTS

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Joint Standing Committee on Finance lay before the City Councils the following statement of all receipts and expenditures from December 1, 1938 to December 1, 1939, together with a schedule of the property, real and personal, belonging to the city, and the value thereof, and the amount of the city debt.

EXPENDITURES

ORDINARY CITY CHARGES

Balance from last year,	$214 25	
Appropriation,	29,450 00	
Rent of City Hall collected by city messenger,	448 00	
Rent collected by Alderman Park,	325 00	
Telephone tolls collected,	11 80	
Error voucher No. 453,	5 00	
Error voucher No. 465,	50	
Error voucher No. 5281,	5 00	
Rent of land Down Timber,	67	
House numbers,	40	
		$30,460 62
Transferred to Fire Department,		200 00
		$30,260 62
Paid Richard L. Holbrook, salary, mayor,	$500 00	
Walker S. Kimball, salary, solicitor,	500 00	
Harold I. Chandler, salary, city treasurer,	400 00	
Walter M. Hubbard, salary, auditor,	350 00	
Frank M Whitcomb, salary, city clerk,	2,000 00	
Elmer B. Chamberlain, salary, deputy city clerk,	1,500 00	
Ralph H. Clark, salary, inspector of buildings,	2,000 00	
William B. Stickels, salary, city messenger,	1,500 00	
John H. Fitzgerald, salary, inspector of plumbing,	500 00	
Harry E. Gale, salary, clerk common council,	100 00	
Edwin D. Hayward, salary, sealer of weights and measures,	125 00	
George E. Fairbanks, salary, sealer of weights and measures,	375 00	
Jay H. Russell, salary, tax collector,	2,244 41	
Myron A. Nims, salary, deputy tax collector,	1,155 00	
Ralph E. Proctor, salary, assessor,	258 35	
Henry S. Hoisington, salary, assessor,	187 34	
Charles K. Whitcomb, salary, assessor,	304 31	
John H. Smith, salary, assessor,	750 00	
Edwin A. Ellis, salary, assessor,	262 50	
James H. Fish, salary, assessor,	487 50	
Maud B. Russell, assisting assessors,	246 75	
Maud B. Russell, assisting tax collector,	13 50	
Mary B. Stapleton, assisting assessors,	294 00	
Mary B. Stapleton, assisting tax collector,	13 50	
William P. Baldwin, assisting assessors,	25 00	
Byron B. Britton, assisting assessors,	25 00	
John H. Fitzgerald, assisting assessors,	25 00	
Lucius M. Foss, assisting assessors,	25 00	
Clinton W. Hill, assisting assessors,	25 00	
Homes J. Magee, assisting assessors,	20 00	
Helen Stanton, work, tax bills,	9 00	
Paul H. Joy, salary, supervisor,	95 00	
Kirke W. Wheeler, salary, supervisor,	115 00	
Henry L. Barrett, salary, supervisor,	125 00	

Charles A. Kingsbury, salary, supervisor,	172 50
John B. Dee, salary, supervisor,	115 00
Benjamin P. Hopkins, salary, moderator,	15 00
Winfield M. Chaplin, salary, moderator,	15 00
Cowling Hilton, salary, moderator,	15 00
Karl R. Beedle, salary, moderator,	15 00
John H. Kennedy, salary, moderator,	10 00
Frank V. Sylvester, salary, moderator,	5 00
Charles K. Whitcomb, salary, clerk,	14 00
James C. Graves, salary, clerk,	5 00
George E. Rix, salary, clerk,	19 00
Charles H. Howard, salary, clerk,	19 00
Richard T. Calef, salary, clerk,	19 00
James B. Dee, salary, clerk,	19 00
Harry E. Larson, salary, selectman,	16 00
Sherman A. Reed, salary, selectman,	16 00
Jesse O. Little, salary, selectman,	10 00
Forrest W. Hall, salary, selectman,	16 00
Guy F. Lombard, salary, selectman,	16 00
Holland S. Wheeler, salary, selectman,	15 00
Harry E. Gale, salary, selectman,	15 50
Irving L. Kibbee Est., salary, selectman,	5 50
Howard W. Witham, salary, selectman,	15 50
Franklin H. Ingalls, salary, selectman,	10 50
Frank E. Chase, salary, selectman,	16 00
Lewis H. Dean, salary, selectman,	16 00
Edwin A. Ellis, salary, selectman,	16 00
Thomas H. Kepple, salary, selectman,	16 00
Walter B. Conant, salary, selectman,	5 50
Norman O. Trask, salary, selectman,	16 00
Alphe J. Parenteau, salary, selectman,	10 50
Joseph R. Bruce, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
James Fletcher, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Joseph A. Ryan, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Roger Giovannangeli, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Theodore P. Barton, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Sidney S. Frizzell, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Maurice G. Waling, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
John H. Dennis, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Warren Delano, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Elizabeth Fulton, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
John H. Fitzgerald, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Arthur Cummings, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Daniel E. Hathorn, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Louis A. Piper, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
William E. Sweeney, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Edward J. Carr, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Roger W. Goodnow, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Mabel Clark, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Jeremiah Donovan, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
Edward Cotter, salary, ballot inspector,	5 00
William B. Stickels, preparing polling places,	16 40
Charles S. Wright, preparing polling places,	13 65
Keene Highway Department, moving booths,	16 00
Pike & Whipple, rent, table, etc.,	12 00
Callahan Taxi Service, delivering ballots,	2 00
Robertson Motor Company, rent, ward room,	30 00
Russell & Foster, Inc., rent, ward room,	30 00
Forsyth's Auto Electric Service, rent, ward room,	30 00
Hugo Costello, work, City Hall,	50
Michael Dambrosio, work, City Hall,	50
Robert DiDomenico, work, City Hall,	50
Francis A. Dostilio, work, City Hall,	3 00
Albert W. Drogue, work, City Hall,	161 60
Earl Drogue, work, City Hall,	24 00

Richard Dubois, work, City Hall,	50
Walter Harris, work, City Hall,	50
John H. Manning, work, City Hall,	67 50
Romeo Papile, work, City Hall,	1 75
Gino Pasquarelli, work, City Hall,	50
Robert Patnode, work, City Hall,	50
Ernest Properzio, work, City Hall,	2 25
Edward Reyor, work, City Hall,	50
Elwin F. Sprague, work, City Hall,	139 75
Charles S. Wright, work, City Hall,	15 25
Rolland H. Abbott, auto permit refund,	93
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	32 71
American Coin Lock Co., income,	13 06
Association of N. H. Assessors, 1939 dues,	2 00
Elias J. Bardis, poll tax rebate,	2 20
Esther G. Bennett, list of deceased real estate owners,	4 80
The Bobbs-Merrill Co., book,	6 00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	63
James F. Brooks, brushes,	3 40
Alexander S. Bruder, auto permit rebate,	6 12
Chas. Bruning Co., Inc., goods,	4 41
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., repairs,	49 86
Arliene R. Bushey, poll tax rebate,	2 20
California Wiping Material Co., goods,	9 17
Central Market, soap,	40
Winfield M. Chaplin, recording, etc.,	512 99
Chase's Book Store, goods,	95 66
Cheshire County Insurance Agency, insurance,	258 36
Frederick P. Clark, books,	5 00
Charles W. Clay, auto permit rebate,	5 97
Clergymen and others, reporting marriages,	44 50
Estate of Horatio Colony, rent of land,	138 45
Harry Crocker, auto permit rebate,	6 38
Paul F. Donnelly, poll tax refund,	2 20
Dover Stamping & Mfg. Co., goods, sealer,	3 47
Dresser Business School, mimeographing,	13 25
Du-Ev Products Co., compound,	20 60
Enterprise Plating Co., house numbers,	13 80
George E Fairbanks, stamps, etc.,	24 25
First National Stores, Inc., rent,	100 00
A. E. Fish & Co., labor,	9 09
John H. Fitzgerald, goods and labor,	152 27
Chester M. Foss & Co., audit and expenses,	834 50
E. L. Freeman Co., tiling, etc.,	510 00
W. P. Garrison, auto guide book,	3 75
Globe Ticket Company, tickets,	49 69
W. L. Goodnow Co., goods,	3 69
Gorfinkle & Barkin, rent, Hall on Roxbury Street,	550 00
Granite State Studio, views,	60
W. & L. E. Gurley, goods,	12 39
The Hampshire Press, folding inventory blanks, etc.,	79 20
Nils A. Hansson, repairs,	2 50
Frank Harkins, poll tax rebate,	4 00
Henry & Johnson, goods and labor,	40 80
The Holbrook Grocery Co., goods,	13 97
Holdredge & Hilton, goods,	21 00
Household Fuel Corp., coal,	1,016 07
Ernest A. Johnson, goods,	3 35
Roscoe T Jordan, painting,	4 30
Keene Book Shop, flags,	17 60
Keene Highway Department, labor, etc.,	65 98
The Keene National Bank, expenses, anticipation notes,	28 24
Keene Police Department, police, City Hall,	112 50
Keene Post Office, stamps and stamped envelopes,	406 20
Keene Water Works, water rates,	50 54

Keene Water Department, goods and labor,	51 63	
Walker S. Kimball, expenses and postage,	32 00	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	111 50	
Lebanon Poster Advertising Co., auto permit refund,	1 77	
Harry H. Leonard, auto permit refund,	6 26	
Leon & Hayes, dies, sealer,	8 22	
E. M. Lockwood, board and room, auditors,	110 00	
B. L. Makepeace, Inc., goods,	1 52	
H. A. Manning Co., directories,	34 00	
A. E. Martell Co., printing,	155 71	
Mason Insurance Agency, bonds and insurance,	272 50	
The Merchants National Bank of Boston, anticipation notes,	108 86	
Helen Mills, overpaid on auto permit,	27	
The National Survey, New Hampshire Register,	1 50	
New Hampshire City & Town Clerks Association, 1939 dues,	2 00	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instruments and tolls,	253 89	
State of New Hampshire, seals,	8 35	
Nims Plumbing Company, goods,	30 58	
Walter T. Nims, printing,	126 75	
Palmer Insurance Agency, insurance and bond,	49 70	
Pearson Bros., goods,	2 19	
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., goods and labor,	75	
Physicians, reporting births and deaths,	132 25	
Public Service Co. of N. H., gas and electric lighting,	523 87	
Public Service Co. of N. H., goods,	8 05	
Remington Rand Inc., goods,	28 45	
Fannie L. Reyoum, auto permit rebate,	5 24	
Jay H. Russell, expenses to convention,	6 95	
The Sanderson Press, tax warnings,	18 00	
Glenroy W. Scott, goods and labor,	74 92	
Sentinel Printing Co., printing and advertising,	2,226 21	
Frank Slocomb, flood and damage survey,	75 00	
Eugene Smith, tuning piano,	6 00	
John H. Smith, use of auto assessing,	50 00	
M. O. Spaulding, goods and labor,	326 71	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	23 11	
State of New Hampshire, copy of City Charter,	2 25	
Stewart, Warren & Benson Corp., books,	28 00	
Clarence E. Stickney, goods and labor,	3 32	
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	8 48	
Charles H. Tyler, painting,	20 25	
Stanley C. Vaughn, auto permit rebate,	9 35	
Everett Waite, auto permit rebate,	68	
Arthur Whitcomb, auto permit rebate,	14 85	
Frank H. Whitcomb, vital records, etc.,	334 54	
F. W. Woolworth Co., goods,	60	
C. F. Worcester, roofing,	425 10	
Wright Bros., goods,	27 60	
		$29,038 81
Balance to new account,		$1,221 81

CITY PAUPERS

Balance from last year,	$883 24	
Appropriation,	30,000 00	
Additional appropriation,	5,000 00	
Deposited by overseer of poor,	586 25	
		$36,469 49
Paid Paul B. Hayward, salary, overseer,	$1,800 00	
The Aldrich Company, burials,	281 00	
Alger's Market, goods,	12 00	
Fred A. Almquist, services,	69 00	

Amsden Shoe Company, goods,	11 00
Army & Navy Store, goods,	24 81
Edith Arnold, rent and salary,	134 10
Balch Bros., goods,	126 00
Barcomb's Store, goods,	4 00
Harold S. Barden, goods,	48 00
Charles H. Barnard, rent,	20 00
Barr's I. G. A. Store, goods,	16 00
Kiryl Bartashewich, rent,	144 00
Bartlett's Diner, meals,	8 75
The Beef Store, goods,	52 00
Henry I. Bixby, board and care,	150 35
Elzear Boisvert, rent,	168 00
Boston Artificial Limb Co., artificial limb,	135 00
Leon Boyea, rent,	28 00
John J. Brosnahan, services,	20 00
The Bullard & Shedd Co., Inc., goods,	92 15
Callahan Taxi Service, taxi service,	25
Campbell's I. G. A. Store, goods,	466 00
G. Alexander Campbell, services,	14 00
Central Market, goods,	537 29
Eli Chabot, goods,	276 00
Mrs. Joseph Charland, board and care,	18 00
Chase's Book Store, goods,	12 96
Cheshire County Savings Bank, rent,	96 00
County of Cheshire, board and care,	1,589 44
The Children's Hospital, hospital care,	57 50
Cohen's Market, goods,	754 50
Herbert Collins, board and care,	180 00
Thomas R. Cota, rent,	50 00
Mrs. Philip Croteau, rent,	168 00
Arnold Cuthbert, milk,	51 62
May E. Cutting, board and care,	5 00
Alvin W. Davis, rent,	72 00
Helen Davis, rent,	65 00
Wilfred W. Deyo, transfussion,	10 00
Frank M. Dinsmoor, services,	36 00
Dodge's Pharmacy, goods,	2 25
Michael F. Driscoll, milk,	58 34
Duffy's Shoe Store, goods,	17 75
Dugan's Oil Service, fuel oil,	44 29
A. H. Dugan, goods,	3 88
Josephine S. Dunham, rent,	3 50
Theodore J. Dutile, rent,	132 00
George H. Eades, services,	10 00
Eagle Hotel, room and meals,	2 05
Elliot Community Hospital, hospital care,	857 82
Endicott-Johnson Shoe Co., goods,	31 59
Grace Ewins, board and care,	784 21
O. K. Fairbanks Co., goods,	136 00
Fairmont Inn, rent,	23 00
James M. Faulkner, consultation,	10 00
Federal Lunch, meals,	169 40
First National Stores, Inc., goods,	147 00
A. E. Fish & Co., goods,	1 48
Nellie Fitch, rent,	12 00
Mrs. Wallace Flanders, board and care,	47 10
Charles F. Fletcher, burial,	42 25
Ralph L. Follansbee, ice,	5 50
Leroy S. Ford, services,	53 00
Mrs. Wilder F. Gates, board and care,	312 00
Clover Farm Stores,	9 00
Gerhard Golm, services,	1 50
W. L. Goodnow Co., goods,	320 11
Walter L. Greene, goods,	161 00

Clifford Grout, goods,	4 00
Leon Harper, rent,	24 00
Mrs. Harry Hastings, board and care,	434 26
L. E. Hastings Co., goods,	19 48
Hayward's Service Station, goods and labor,	47 93
Edwin D. Hayward, rent,	40 00
Paul B. Hayward, postage,	5 00
Grace Henry, board and care,	72 00
Hitchcock Clinic, services,	15 00
Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital, hospital care,	15 00
Robert W. Holmes, services,	90 00
Arthur W. Hopkins, services,	5 00
Howard's Market, goods,	8 00
Dorothy Howard, care,	5 00
J. Henry Howard, rent,	30 00
O. J. Howard & Co., burials,	241 00
Howe & Hayward, clock,	10 00
Irvings Clothing Store, goods,	21 60
Ernest A. Johnson, goods,	110 95
John F. Jolly, rent,	32 00
Mrs. Young Jones, rent,	20 00
Keene Beef Shop, goods,	20 00
Keene Highway Dept., gasoline,	76 03
Keene Food Mart, goods,	40 00
Keene Public Market, goods,	51 00
Keene Shoe Repair, repairs,	1 25
Keene Water Works Department, wood,	808 00
Frank H. Kendall, board and care,	3 00
Joseph Kershaw, rent,	144 00
W. J. Kidder, goods,	55 00
Mrs. W. J. Kidder, goods,	4 00
Walter R. Kirk, rent,	154 00
Mrs. John Kline, board and care,	519 96
Clarence E. Knapp, milk,	56 06
S. S. Kresge Co., goods,	1 20
A. Kretowicz, rent,	12 50
Kretowicz Market, goods,	3 27
E. F. Lane Estate, rent,	54 00
C. C. LaLiberte, services,	8 00
Jane E. Larson, goods,	1 17
Ellen Leahy, board and care,	519 96
Libbares Brothers, meals,	1 90
Lichman's I. G. A. Store, goods,	32 00
Lis Cash Market, goods,	88 00
Loiselle's Family Shoe Store, goods,	30 64
George J. B. McCushing, services,	3 00
Abbie Makin, board and care,	215 96
W. J. Manchester, rent,	13 28
H. A. Manning Co., directory,	7 00
Peter Markou, rent,	168 00
A. E. Martell Co., order blanks,	12 00
C. W. Martin, goods,	320 48
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance,	63 60
Charles Medoff, goods,	44 00
Mike's Market, goods,	754 50
W. L. & F. C. Moore, milk,	270 54
Mosher Farm, milk,	85 22
Uriah Mosher, milk,	85 46
Napoleon J. Nadou, goods,	8 00
The Neighbor Store, goods,	223 00
J. J. Newberry Co., goods,	15 95
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instruments and tolls,	75 50
New Hampshire Orphans' Home, board and care,	645 10
Walter T. Nims, printing,	15 00

North Street Market, goods,	5 02	
Frank Occhipinti, rent,	39 91	
Margaret O'Connell, board and care,	365 00	
Nellie Partridge, rent,	96 56	
Charles S. Payne, milk,	10 18	
John C. Perry & Co., goods,	10 00	
Mrs. Mary Pratte, board and care,	19 40	
Roy E. Pratt, lenses,	63 50	
William Prince, services,	30 50	
Mrs. John D. Proctor, rent,	156 00	
Public Service Co. of N. H., gas and electric lighting,	106 40	
Radio Restaurant, meals,	24 00	
Red Front Market, Goods,	4 00	
Elizabeth B. Reed, board and care,	335 71	
N. H. Robertson, services,	4 50	
Romey's Market, goods,	94 00	
John H. Rule, transportation,	272 75	
Mrs. William Ryan, sewing machine,	10 00	
St. Patrick's Orphanage, board and care,	720 00	
Shea & Culliton, goods,	559 26	
Sibley Oil Co., fuel oil,	116 27	
S. C. Snowling, Jr., goods,	116 00	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	1 53	
State Cancer Commission, care,	208 15	
Mrs. P. G. Stone, board and care,	207 00	
Streeter's Food Store, goods,	472 00	
Henry E. Swan, rent,	12 00	
John Tasoulas, goods,	20 00	
Walter F. Taylor, services,	328 00	
Mrs. William D. Thurber, board and care,	317 55	
Treasurer of the United States, 50% of sewing material,	507 00	
Henry Vigneau, rent,	24 00	
West Street Market, goods,	74 31	
Arthur F. Weston, services,	50 00	
Wheeler & Taylor, milk,	21 28	
Eugene Wheeler, rent,	139 00	
White Brothers, goods,	40 30	
Herbert L. White, moving,	16 00	
Whitehouse & Burt, goods,	119 19	
Lillian W. Whitney, board and care,	129 99	
Wilbur's Market, goods,	88 00	
Idella Wilcox, board and care,	13 00	
H. G. Williams, services,	14 00	
F. W. Woolworth Co., goods,	3 96	
Carrie F. Wright Hospital, hospital care,	41 00	
Aid to soldiers and their families,	1,201 95	
Assistance to aged and dependent persons,	5,316 33	
		$30,686 99
Balance to new account,		$5,782 50

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Balance from last year,	$510 19	
Appropriation,	3,000 00	
Deposited by health officer,	174 43	
		$3,684 62
Paid Evan C. White, salary, health officer,	$2,400 00	
Fred A. Almquist, services,	123 00	
Biochemical Products Co., goods,	1 25	
The Bullard & Shedd Co., Inc., goods,	15 09	
Laurence S. Cailler, services,	2 00	
Campbell's I. G. A. Store, goods,	28 73	
Cherry-Burrell Corp., goods,	6 31	
Cheshire County Insurance Co., insurance,	6 25	

County of Cheshire, hospital care,	61 43	
Difco Laboratories, goods,	7 49	
The C. B. Dolge Co., goods,	30 31	
George R. Eades, services,	2 00	
Eimer & Amend, goods,	5 15	
Gerhard Golm, services,	36 00	
Ernest A. Johnson, goods,	7 50	
Keene Highway Department, lumber, etc.,	8 29	
Keene Postmaster, stamps,	3 00	
The Keene Oil Co., Inc., range oil,	32 82	
Keene Window Cleaner, work,	3 00	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	80	
H. A. Manning Co., directory,	7 00	
Minnick's Oil Service, range oil,	8 64	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instrument and tolls,	47 06	
Walter T. Nims, printing,	5 00	
Pearson Bros., goods,	2 39	
Pike & Whipple, goods,	2 75	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric lighting,	12 28	
Public Service Co. of N. H., goods,	1 20	
Railway Express Agency, Inc., express,	7 81	
E. A. Robbins, milk,	27 36	
Norris H. Robertson, services,	93 50	
Sentinel Printing Co., advertising,	17 70	
Walter F. Taylor, services,	72 50	
G. H. Tilden & Co, goods,	10 70	
Wallace & Tiernan Co., Inc., goods,	19 15	
Wilcox Battery Service, distilled water,	2 00	
Will Corporation, goods,	14 52	
H. G. Williams, services,	1 50	
		$3,133 48
Balance to new account,		$551 14

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Balance from last year,	$3,213 76	
Appropriation,	58,367 00	
Deposited by superintendent,	4,025 50	
		$65,606 26
Paid Arthur A. Wallace, salary, superintendent,	$1,683 79	
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	35,259 34	
Abbott Grocery Co., goods,	77 00	
American Cyanamid & Chemical Co., gelatine,	8 00	
The American Oil Co., gasoline,	677 67	
American Bitumuls Co., goods,	229 56	
Elwin H. Applin, goods,	331 27	
Frank J. Avery, goods and repairs,	212 41	
Nellie Babkirk, sand,	3 10	
F. L. Badger Co., bronze plate,	22 00	
Ivah H. Ballou, goods, etc.,	145 21	
Frank N. Barker, snow removal,	15 70	
The Barrett Co., Tarvia A,	253 98	
H. J. Barton, sawing, etc.,	8 12	
Batchelor's Tire Service Station, goods,	25	
Beacon Wiper Supply Co., goods,	42 75	
Berkeley Textile Co., goods,	7 60	
Bloomer & Haselton Inc., goods,	50	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	906 05	
Richard Boyle, plowing walks,	46 02	
The Buffalo-Springfield Road Co., goods,	13 45	
The Carey Chair Mfg. Co., lumber,	16 00	
Casellini-Venable Co., goods,	7 50	

Central Market, goods,	1 81
Winfield M. Chaplin, recording,	1 27
Julia F. Chapman, insurance,	10 00
Chase's Book Store, goods,	2 15
Ernest J. Chase, forestry work,	1,547 90
Cheshire County Grain Co., grain,	51 55
Cheshire County Insurance Agency, insurance,	42 93
Cheshire Oil Co., gasoline,	372 68
Colonial Beacon Oil Co., Inc., gasoline,	740 78
Clyde A. Coombs, tractor, snowplow,	1,945 30
Leon I. Curtis, plowing snow, etc.,	1,024 40
Damon's Garage, goods and labor,	6 95
The Derby Stores, Inc., traffic coat,	10 00
Carl H. Dodge, weighing fees,	75
Dresser Business School, mimeographing,	1 75
Eagle Hotel, refreshments,	3 30
Economy Coal Co., coal,	32 71
Elm City Grain Co., cement,	130 61
Fairfield's Garage, goods and labor,	9 80
Farm Service Co., goods,	114 84
David Fish, plowing snow,	92 87
A. E. Fish & Co., goods,	70 44
J. J. Fitzgerald & Co., pavers,	315 60
Leslie Fowle, plowing snow,	5 50
George E. Fraser, plowing snow,	98 88
Winfred I. Fuller, loam,	58 50
Gay's Express, Inc., express,	2 36
Arthur E. Gorges, gasoline,	10 54
Greenfield Mass. Broken Stone Co., dust,	164 21
Gulf Oil Corporation, gasoline,	243 10
Fred O. Hamblet, hay,	105 49
Nils A. Hansson, goods and labor,	1,046 14
Hauck Mfg. Company, kettle,	245 00
Hayward's Service Station, goods and labor,	286 53
E. J. Haywood, gravel,	12 00
Hedge & Mattheis Co., goods,	775 72
Henry & Johnson, goods and labor,	2 70
Gale E. Hill, goods and labor,	1,172 63
The Holbrook Grocery Co., goods,	149 00
George T. Hope, coal,	9 48
Elwin Howard, adjusted account,	36 36
Walter M. Hubbard, flag tape,	4 95
Franklin H. Ingalls, repairs,	17 25
J. B. Ingham, goods,	57 60
International Sales, Inc., goods,	11 40
Irving Clothing Store, canvas covers,	49 44
Johnson Motor Parts Co., goods,	95 64
Ernest A. Johnson, goods,	2 80
F. M. Johnson Lumber Co., lumber,	19 04
Keene Auto Body & Welding Co., repairs,	23 00
Keene Glass Company, goods,	4 50
The Keene Oil Co., Inc., oil and gasoline,	849 91
Keene Postmaster, stamps,	10 00
Keene Upholstering Co., repairs, office chairs,	5 00
Keene Water Works, water rates,	6 00
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	746 60
T. A. Koehler, plowing snow,	14 50
Earl W. Little, goods and labor,	2 80
Lombard Auto Co., Inc., goods,	2 00
Mack Motor Truck Co., goods,	12 09
William Mackey, plowing snow,	14 00
H. A. Manning Co., directory,	7 00
Monadnock Laundry, repairs to truck,	10 10
Monadnock Nursery, labor, etc.,	14 20

New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instruments and tolls,	85 26	
Nims Plumbing Co., goods,	2 35	
O. V. Norcross, sawing,	129 05	
Daniel P. O'Leary, sharpening mower,	1 30	
Palmer Insurance Agency, insurance,	42 00	
Parker, Danner Co., goods,	49 11	
Pearson Bros., goods,	405 72	
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., goods and labor,	61 47	
P. I. Perkins Co., goods,	362 09	
Platts Box Co., sawing,	106 86	
George O. Platts & Co., goods and labor,	38 79	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric lighting and power,	37 60	
Public Service Co. of N. H., goods,	22 74	
Quigley-Tarbox Chevrolet, Inc., goods and labor,	17 30	
Railway Express Agency, Inc., express,	6 55	
Robertson Motor Co., goods,	94 10	
P. W. Robertson-Transportation, transportation,	40	
Russell & Foster, Inc., goods,	4 22	
Sargent Motor Co., goods,	20 64	
Sentinel Printing Company, printing,	12 25	
Sexton Can Company, goods,	47 98	
Shell Oil Company, Inc., gasoline,	168 00	
Sibley Oil Company, oil and gasoline,	669 65	
Sinclair Refining Co., gasoline,	667 80	
Robert Smith, plowing walks,	29 26	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc., gasoline,	777 56	
Solvay Sales Corp., goods,	62 00	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	1,929 93	
State of New Hampshire, beams, etc.,	985 10	
Clarence E. Stickney, goods,	3 00	
Clifford L. Sturtevant, lumber,	49 53	
Edward C. Sweeney, goods,	257 74	
G. H. Tilden & Co, goods,	17 92	
W. V. Toomey & Co., goods,	35 95	
Andrew E. Towne, plowing walks,	36 39	
Trimont Bituminous Products Co., cold patch,	365 50	
Tucker's Garage, repairs,	18 50	
H. P. Welch Co., express,	1 00	
John R. Wellman, repairing scraper,	1 50	
Donald West Company, goods,	14 70	
Arthur Whitcomb, transportation, etc.,	1,090 40	
Wilcox Battery Service, goods,	223 09	
Woodbury & Dalzell, cutting wood,	67 86	
Zimmerman's Garage, goods,	6 00	
		$61,928 78
Balance to new account,		$3,677 48

HIGHWAY PATROL SYSTEM OF MAINTENANCE

Balance from last year,	$40 45	
Appropriation,	5,000 00	
		$5,040 45
Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	$4,093 18	
A. E. Fish & Co., goods,	1 50	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	4 15	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	89 82	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., cold patch,	813 11	
		$5,001 76
Balance to new account,		$38 69

INCINERATOR

Balance from last year,	$1,193 55	
Appropriation,	1,000 00	
Deposited by superintendent,	342 21	
		$2,535 76
Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	$2,085 30	
Nils A. Hansson, goods and labor,	11 30	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	20 73	
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance,	20 00	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instrument,	33 96	
Pearson Bros., goods,	2 15	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	4 47	
		$2,177 91
Balance to new account,		$357 85

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE
Treatment with Oil and Tar

Balance from last year,	$1,231 01	
Appropriation,	10,000 00	
Deposited by superintendent,	493 46	
		$11,724 47
Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	$2,839 10	
American Bitumuls Co., goods,	118 05	
The Barrett Co., Tarvia B,	8,116 78	
Bernard C. Carey, sand,	128 40	
Arthur E. Gorges, goods,	7 25	
George T. Hope, coal,	30 72	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., cold patch,	481 75	
Zimmerman's Garage, gasoline,	85	
		$11,722 90
Balance to new account,		$1 57

FORESTRY WORK, CARE OF TREES

Balance from last year,	$197 28	
Appropriation,	5,000 00	
		$5,197 28
Paid Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	$700 00	
Ernest J. Chase, forestry work,	554 65	
Nils A. Hansson, goods and labor,	2 67	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	7 64	
Public Service Co. of N. H., goods,	5 19	
		$1,270 65
Balance to new account,		$3,926 63

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Balance from last year,	$1,710 92	
Appropriation,	22,400 00	
Additional appropriation,	385 00	
Discount, Huntley bill,	10	
Deposited by chief engineer,	835 32	
Transferred from Ordinary City Charges,	200 00	
		$25,531 34
Paid Eugene B. Riley, salary, chief engineer,	$2,360 00	
John H. Simpson, salary, assistant engineer and clerk,	200 00	
Elwin H. Applin, salary, assistant engineer,	175 00	
Lyman O. Cass, chauffeur,	1,636 25	

Fred S. Morse, chauffeur,	1,636 25
Frank M. Reid, chauffeur,	1,636 25
Samuel J. Guyette, chauffeur,	1,636 25
Charles M. Ballou, chauffeur,	1,636 25
Elton P. Britton, chauffeur,	1,636 25
Frank H. Whitcomb, still alarm pay-rolls,	387 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, out of town pay-rolls,	460 00
The Permanent Firemen's Retirement Board,	335 50
Steamer Hose Company, pay-roll,	1,475 00
Deluge Hose Company, pay-roll,	1,425 00
Washington Hook & Ladder Company, pay-roll,	1,481 00
Abbott Grocery Company, goods,	22 16
The Aherns Fox Fire Engine Co., goods,	20 05
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	258 75
American Fire Equipment Co., goods,	6 19
American-LaFrance-Foamite Corp., goods,	509 30
Elwin H. Applin, goods,	7 70
Army & Navy Store, goods,	17 00
Belmont Supply Company, goods,	9 25
Beacon Wiper Supply Co., goods,	16 82
Bloomer & Haselton, Inc., goods,	11 15
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	1 78
Nat Brady, goods,	3 75
The Bullard & Shedd Co., Inc., goods,	7 35
F. E. Canterbery, towing car,	3 00
Chase's Book Store, goods,	3 75
William David Estate, pay of fireman,	50 00
Richard Donovan, painting,	53 60
William Doyle, painting,	63 50
Endicott- Johnson Shoe Co., goods,	40 20
Fabric Fire Hose Co., hose,	539 00
A. E. Fish & Co., goods and labor,	19 96
John H. Fitzgerald, goods and labor,	5 67
E. L. Freeman Co., tiling, etc.,	200 00
The Gamewell Co., goods,	501 10
Thomas Gocha, painting,	71 50
W. L. Goodnow Co., goods,	317 80
Goodnow Specialties Corp., goods,	1 85
Russell Goodrich, painting,	8 00
Frank Groudle, painting,	82 00
Nils A. Hansson, goods and labor,	69 75
Robert W. Haskel Associates, pumper,	384 50
Hedge & Matthies Co., pump,	250 00
Gale E. Hill, labor,	1 50
The Holbrook Grocery Co., goods,	1 40
Household Fuel Corp., coal,	258 07
O. J. Howard & Co., chairs,	34 00
Ira A. Huntley, goods and labor,	153 60
Franklin H. Ingalls, repairs,	7 00
F. M. Johnson Lumber Co., goods,	5 80
Samuel E. Jordan Brush Co., goods,	6 20
Keene Fire Department, inspection,	100 00
The Keene Oil Co., Inc., oil and gasoline,	208 61
Keene Water Works, water rates,	29 29
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	14 75
Ellison Lee, goods,	5 15
Earl M. Little, goods and labor,	4 60
The Lumino Co., Inc., goods,	20 58
H. A. Manning Co., directory,	7 00
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance,	31 98
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instruments and tolls,	107 85
Nims Plumbing Co., goods,	3 66
Walter T. Nims, printing,	20 50
R. H. Page, plastering,	45 56

Pearson Bros., goods,	1 25	
Peerless Laundry, laundry work,	41 70	
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., goods and labor,	1 00	
George O. Platts & Co., goods and labor,	140 14	
David Prevost, painting,	53 60	
Public Service Co. of N. H., gas, electric lighting and power,	331 73	
Public Service Co. of N. H., goods,	59 90	
Herman C. Rice, goods,	60	
Robertson Motor Co., goods and labor,	11 15	
Carl Robinson, painting,	17 60	
Russell & Foster, Inc., goods,	1 25	
Glenroy W. Scott, goods and labor,	15 47	
Sentinel Printing Co., printing, etc.,	15 00	
Ernest Sherman, painting,	11 20	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	334 67	
Paul E. Symonds, goods and labor,	18 27	
E. H. Tate Co., goods,	7 62	
Fordyce J. Thomas, goods and labor,	12 67	
The Tropical Paint & Oil Co., goods,	58 34	
The Truson Laboratories, goods,	11 52	
Charles H. Tyler, painting,	42 40	
Maurice G. Waling, painting,	112 75	
The Waxine Company, goods,	3 92	
Wilcox Battery Service, goods,	133 50	
C. F. Worcester, goods and labor,	501 30	
Wright Bros., goods,	3 97	
		$24,682 05
Balance to new account,		$849 29

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation,	$29,500 00	
Deposited by chief of police,	2,259 89	
Deposited by clerk of Municipal Court,	1,846 05	
Deposited by city clerk truckmen and taxi license fees,	45 00	
		$33,650 94
Paid account overdrawn,		$1,058 58
Paid Robert E. Tucker, salary, chief of police,	$2,400 00	
William E. Hetherman, salary, commissioner and clerk,	125 00	
John H. Kennedy, salary, commissioner,	100 00	
Arthur B. Nims, salary, commissioner,	100 00	
Charles A. Madden, salary, judge,	1,200 00	
Chester B. Jordan, associate justice,	12 00	
Roy M. Pickard, special justice,	30 00	
Don J. Williams, salary, clerk,	400 00	
Harold F. Drew, salary, probation officer,	500 00	
Harold B. Burns, salary, sargeant,	1,869 00	
Carl B. Swanstrom, police duty,	1,911 00	
William J. Wheelock, police duty,	1,911 00	
William C. Hadley, police duty,	1,911 00	
Michael F. Griffin, police duty,	1,911 00	
Fred J. Bergeron, police duty,	1,910 48	
Ronald M. Seaver, police duty,	1,890 00	
Paul J. Fontaine, police duty,	1,874 25	
Daniel D. Henderson, police duty,	1,871 25	
Walter M. Barnard, police duty,	233 35	
William F. Barrett, police duty,	12 45	
Orlando J. Boccia, police duty,	1,189 75	
John H. Dennis, police duty,	600 60	
George W. Flint, police duty,	161 25	
James C. Norton, police duty,	234 00	
Arthur E O'Neil, police duty,	950 50	
Robert G. Ringland, police duty,	60 75	

Harold E. Savage, police duty,	645 40	
Lloyd S. Seaver, police duty,	845 50	
Carl W. Swanstrom, police duty,	1,552 50	
Whitney C. Wyman, police duty,	12 70	
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	40 62	
Automatic Signal Corp., rent, traffic signals, etc.,	1,052 29	
Batchelor's Tire Service Station, goods,	60 98	
V. H. Blackington & Co., badges,	16 59	
Earl Brennan, counsel fee,	5 00	
Brown's Garage, repairs on boat,	7 00	
The Bullard & Shedd Co., Inc., goods,	90	
Richard C. Cameron, oil,	1 75	
Central Market, goods,	1 85	
Chase's Book Store, goods,	32 76	
Frederick V. D. Dederick, services,	20 00	
J. J. Donahue, meals,	57 00	
J. N. Dunlap, signs,	32 00	
Dunnell's Service Station, goods,	91 22	
Federal Lunch, meals,	89 10	
A. E. Fish & Co., signs,	45 20	
Archie C. Gillis, services,	73 00	
Arthur E. Gorges, goods,	9 00	
Granite State Studio, views,	3 00	
Nils A. Hansson, goods and labor,	11 95	
Hayward's Service Station, goods and labor,	84 74	
Henry & Johnson, goods,	84 11	
Howe & Hayward, repairs,	1 50	
Franklin H. Ingalls, repairs,	34 53	
J. B. Ingham, goods,	44 00	
Keene Highway Dept., gasoline,	482 19	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	3 65	
Libbares Spa, meals,	87 10	
Rubin Lipsky, counsel fee,	10 00	
Main Street Esso Station, goods,	7 60	
H. A. Manning Co., directory,	7 00	
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance,	141 65	
Monadnock Laundry, laundry work,	7 15	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instruments and tolls,	627 37	
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., goods and labor,	2 15	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric lighting,	317 71	
Public Service Co. of N. H., goods,	307 77	
Quigley-Tarbox Chev., Inc., goods and labor,	170 45	
Railway Express Agency, Inc., express,	1 46	
Stanley H. Reese, plates,	8 13	
Robertson Sanitone Cleaners, services,	40	
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	205 00	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	43 39	
Stone's Service Station, goods,	1 75	
Walter F. Taylor, services,	23 50	
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	10 15	
Ralph H. Turner, goods,	4 30	
Wilcox Battery Service, goods,	3 30	
		$32,797 99
		$33,883 57
Account overdrawn,		$232 63

WATER WORKS

Balance from last year,	$19,984 91
Deposited by superintendent,	3,418 50
Water rates collected by tax collector,	63,329 31
Rent of land rear of City Hall,	100 00

Received from down timber,	796 93	
		$87,629 65
Transferred to Sewer Department and Disposal Plant,		12,480 00
		$75,149 65

Paid Arthur A. Wallace, salary, superintendent,	$867 66
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	23,835 23
Water Bonds, loan of 1931,	2,500 00
Interest of Water Bonds, loan of 1931,	1,328 13
Water Bonds, loan of 1934,	1,000 00
Interest on Water Bonds, loan of 1934,	540 00
Town of Harrisville, 1939 taxes,	6 81
Town of Nelson, 1939 taxes,	62 87
Town of Roxbury, 1939 taxes,	393 87
Addressograph Sales Agency, goods,	26 84
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	43 61
The Anchor Packing Co., goods,	98
Batchelor's Tire Service Station, goods,	136 65
Beacon Wiper Supply Co, goods,	43 25
A. P. Bergeron, gasoline,	18 23
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	1,318 48
Boston & Maine Transportation Co., transportation,	1 24
Boston & Maine Railroad, pipe privilege,	5 00
Boston Sand & Gravel Co., sand,	955 28
Builders Iron Foundry, goods,	187 60
The Bullard & Shedd Co., Inc., goods,	45
George A. Caldwell Co., repairs,	2 57
The Central Foundry Co., pipe,	3,423 14
Central Market, goods,	1 11
Winfield M. Chaplin, recording, etc.,	14 20
Chase's Book Store, goods,	92 07
Chase Brass & Copper Co., Inc., goods,	318 44
Cheshire County Insurance Agency, insurance,	108 83
Cheshire Oil Company, gasoline,	7 36
A. W. Chesterton Co., goods,	9 49
Chiovitti Bros. Garage, truck,	1,247 68
The Coca Cola Bottling Co., barrels,	1 50
Frank A. Cole, land,	500 00
Concord Brick Co., brick,	55 50
Leon I. Curtis, timber operation,	27 00
Damon's Garage, goods,	46 96
Darling Valve & Mfg. Co., goods,	56 47
Domestic Engine & Pump Co., goods,	7 50
John M. Duffy, goods,	4 50
Eagle Iron Foundry, Inc., goods,	234 94
The Edson Corporation, goods,	9 57
Ellis Ford Corporation, goods,	7 27
Fairfield's Garage, goods and labor,	26 78
Farm Service Co., goods,	1 36
A. E. Fish & Co., lumber, etc.,	104 27
The Ford Meter Box Co., goods,	67 10
Fox's Auto Parts, goods,	75
The Garlock Packing Co., goods,	22 02
Geddes Oil Associates, gasoline,	13 18
E. M. Gilbo, repairs,	1 35
Golden-Anderson Valve Supply Co., goods,	50 98
Arthur E. Gorges, gasoline,	2 48
Nils A. Hansson, repairs,	22 16
Henry & Johnson, goods,	6 31
Gale E. Hill, goods and labor,	36 35
Robert W. Holmes, services,	7 00
Holmes Transportation Service, transportation,	75
Hope Rubber Co., Inc., goods,	15 15
George T. Hope, coal,	72 54

Household Fuel Corp., coal,	56 35
Irving's Clothing Store, boots,	8 91
Johnson Motor Parts Co., goods,	14 78
E. A. Johnson, goods,	1 65
Johnson-Barker Co., goods,	21 21
Jones Express, express,	60
Keene Auto Body & Welding Co., goods and labor,	18 00
Keene Book Shop, goods,	38 48
Keene Highway Dept., gasoline,	767 22
Keene Highway Dept., material,	95 31
Keene Glass Co., goods,	10 00
Keene Mill End Store,	1 45
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	583 16
Lowell Wrench Co., goods,	10 95
E. J. Lower, sawing wood,	168 00
The Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., goods,	1,552 63
B. L. Makepeace, Inc., goods,	6 13
H. A. Manning Co., directory,	7 00
D. Markwell, logging,	168 07
A. E. Martell Co., goods,	37 38
Henry J. Menter, drawing wood,	797 17
Mueller Company, goods,	29 40
National-Boston Lead Co., goods,	61 93
National Meter Co., goods,	1,046 35
Neptune Meter Co., goods,	491 74
Henry G. Neugebauer, Inc., goods,	7 20
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instrument and tolls,	71 14
Walter T. Nims, printing,	11 00
Novo Engine Co., goods,	17 08
Pearson Bros., goods,	132 37
Peerless Casualty Co., stencils,	2 35
Arthur E. Perham, goods and labor,	29 97
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., goods and labor,	107 08
P. I. Perkins Co., goods,	16 28
Pierce-Perry Co., goods,	584 24
Pittsburgh Equitable Meter Co., goods,	10 08
George O. Platts & Co., goods and labor,	260 96
Vernon G. Pratt, goods,	4 20
Princess Shoe Co., barrels,	3 50
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric lighting,	341 68
Public Service Co. of N. H., goods,	8 61
Quigley-Tarbox Chev., Inc., goods and labor,	29 40
Railway Express Agency, Inc., express,	60 79
Reed Manufacturing Co., goods,	4 92
Red Hed Mfg. Co., goods,	43 63
Rensselaer Valve Co., goods,	4 52
Herman C. Rice, goods and labor,	28 33
Charles O. Richardson, sawing and sticking lumber,	1,306 30
Robertson Motor Co., goods,	2 00
Carl D. Roche, Postmaster, requist envelopes,	92 79
Russell & Foster, Inc., goods,	24 09
St. Johnsbury Trucking Co., express,	1 25
Sentinel Printing Co., printing and advertising,	100 18
Simplex Valve & Meter Co., goods,	21 04
Smith & Co.'s Express, express,	60
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc., oil,	97 46
Southwestern New Hampshire Transportation, express,	2 00
M. O. Spaulding, lumber, etc.,	75
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	342 23
Clarence E. Stickney, goods,	22 15
Streeter's Food Store, goods,	19
Sturtevant Service Station, gasoline,	1 25
Sullivan Machinery Co., goods,	1 41
Sumner & Dunbar, goods,	292 30

Walter F. Taylor, services,	2 00	
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	7 25	
W. V. Toomey & Co., goods and labor,	54 86	
Leonard M. Trager, Secretary, N. H. W. W. Association dues,	10 00	
William T. Vaughn, goods,	1 20	
Charles E. N. Vigneau, sawing wood,	108 60	
Hugh Waling, stamped envelopes,	22 16	
Arthur A. Wallace, stamped envelopes,	21 92	
Walworth Company, goods,	7 04	
H. P. Welch Company, express,	8 47	
Arthur Whitcomb, use of shovel,	600 00	
Wilcox Battery Service, goods,	103 17	
R. D. Wood Company, goods,	289 42	
Zimmerman's Garage, goods,	87 08	
		$51,303 17
Balance to new account,		$23,846 48

SEWER DEPARTMENT AND DISPOSAL PLANT

Balance from last year,	$1,652 77	
Appropriation,	11,000 00	
Additional appropriation,	165 00	
Additional appropriation,	250 00	
Additional appropriation,	1,450 00	
Transferred from Water Works account,	12,480 00	
Deposited by superintendent,	529 65	
		$27,527 42
Paid Arthur A. Wallace, salary, superintendent,	$382 26	
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	8,915 06	
Batchelor's Tire Service Station, goods,	22 41	
Archie P. Bergeron, gasoline,	2 27	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	2 25	
Winfield M. Chaplin, recording, etc.,	12 84	
The Chase National Bank, Bonds, loan of 1934,	8,000 00	
The Chase National Bank, interest on bonds, loan of 1934,	4,480 00	
The Chase National Bank, commission,	19 20	
Cheshire County Insurance Agency, insurance,	26 46	
Cheshire Oil Company, oil,	3 08	
A. W. Chesterton Co., goods,	5 60	
R. P. Childs Stamp Co., plate,	5 40	
Concord Brick Company, brick,	195 80	
Concord Foundry & Machine Co., goods,	10 70	
Damon's Garage, goods and labor,	31 31	
Davis Oil Co., Inc., fuel oil,	37 50	
Eagle Iron Foundry, Inc., castings,	215 10	
Elliot Community Hospital, Waling case,	3 00	
Farm Service Co., cement,	9 80	
J. A. Ferguson, sharpening mower,	1 00	
A. E. Fish & Co., goods,	3 00	
John H. Fitzgerald, pipe,	1 85	
The Garlock Packing Co., goods,	21 50	
D. M. Greenwood, sacks,	78	
Gale E. Hill, goods and labor,	3 50	
Hope Rubber Co., Inc., goods,	25 30	
George T. Hope, coal,	30 34	
Household Fuel Corp., coal,	4 38	
Irving's Clothing Store, goods,	29 58	
Johnson Motor Parts Co., goods,	5 26	
F. M. Johnson Lumber Co., lumber, etc.,	59 78	
E. A. Johnson, goods,	25	
Keene Book Shop, goods,	2 78	
Keene Fire Department, hose,	21 50	
Keene Highway Department, gasoline,	201 61	

Keene Glass Company, goods,	12 00	
The Keene Oil Co., Inc., fuel oil,	228 75	
Keene Water Works, water rates,	15 01	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	257 91	
Walter H. Lacey, services,	11 00	
A. E. Martell Co., goods,	5 29	
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance,	52 11	
Montuori Bros., Inc., transportation,	60	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instruments,	65 69	
Nims Plumbing Co., goods,	5 13	
Parker, Danner Co., goods,	42 74	
Pearson Bros., goods,	47 37	
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., labor,	20 75	
George O. Platts, goods and labor,	56 39	
Vernon G. Pratt, goods,	42	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric power,	3,067 74	
Robertson Motor Co., service certificates, etc.,	4 20	
Russell & Foster, Inc., goods,	1 50	
Simplex Valve & Manufacturing Co., goods,	4 95	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc., oil,	63 03	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	769 98	
Clarence E. Stickney, goods and labor,	5 00	
Edward C. Sweeney, goods,	1 50	
Weston & Sampson, services,	47 70	
H. P. Welch Co., express,	4 77	
Wilcox Battery Service, goods,	10 52	
Wolverine Brass Works, goods,	8 43	
		$27,602 93
Account overdrawn,		$75 51

DRAINS

Appropriation,	$7,000 00	
Deposited by superintendent,	92 58	
		$7,092 58
Paid account overdrawn,		$337 42
Arthur A. Wallace, salary, superintendent,	$382 26	
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	5,421 82	
Batchelor's Tire Service Station, goods and labor,	8 85	
Winfield M. Chaplin, recording, etc.,	12 83	
Cheshire County Insurance Agency, insurance,	56 45	
Cheshire Oil Company, oil,	1 14	
Concord Brick Company, brick,	249 75	
Damon's Garage, goods and labor,	25 71	
Eagle Iron Foundry, castings,	232 19	
Farm Service Co., sacks,	9 30	
Fairfield's Garage, goods and labor,	18 88	
Gale E. Hill, goods and labor,	11 55	
George T. Hope, coal,	27 00	
Household Fuel Corp., coal,	4 61	
Irving's Clothing Store, goods,	8 92	
Keene Book Shop, goods,	1 78	
Keene Highway Department, gasoline,	149 42	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	71 34	
Pearson Bros., goods,	11 05	
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., goods and labor,	10 50	
George O. Platts & Co., goods and labor,	17 45	
Vernon G. Pratt, goods,	42	
Quigley-Tarbox Chev., Inc., goods and labor,	4 20	
Robertson Motor Co., goods,	12 00	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc., oil,	24 32	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	311 30	
Clarence E. Stickney, goods,	1 00	

W. V. Toomey & Co., goods,	4 70	
Wilcox Battery Service, goods,	3 80	
		$7,094 54
		$7,431 96
Account overdrawn,		$339 38

BOUNTY ON HEDGEHOGS

Received from State of New Hampshire,	$14 60	
Paid account overdrawn,		$14 00
Paid Norris M. Aldrich, bounty,	$ 20	
William M. Barron, bounty,	3 20	
Paul J. Bergeron, bounty,	40	
Robert M. Bradbury, bounty,	10 40	
Harry C. Briggs, bounty,	40	
Karl P. Brown, bounty,	1 00	
Homer W. Brown, bounty,	40	
Leon J. Cailler, Jr., bounty,	20	
Emil J. Campbell, bounty,	40	
Floyd W. Crawford, bounty,	20	
Albert E. Chickering, bounty,	20	
Francis E. Fish, bounty,	40	
Edward O. Flint, bounty,	20	
Paul N. French, bounty,	40	
Malcolm D. Hapgood, bounty,	40	
Chester P. Howard, bounty,	60	
Perley E. Howard, bounty,	1 00	
Frank L. Johnson, bounty,	40	
Philip C. Johnson, bounty,	20	
Mrs. Elizabeth Jonaitas, bounty,	20	
Charles S. Lewis, bounty,	20	
Antwine Martin, bounty,	20	
Cecil W. Parker, bounty,	80	
		$22 00
		$36 00
Account overdrawn,		$21 40

ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS

Balance from last year,	$2,257 02	
Appropriation,	20,000 00	
		$22,257 02
Paid Public Service Co. of N. H., street lighting,		$21,771 69
Balance to new account,		$485 33

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS
Union School District

Balance due Union School District on 1938 appropriation,	$145,000 00	
Dog license fees in treasury April 1, 1939,	1,700 13	
Appropriation as per district warrant, 1939,	219,154 50	
		$365,854 63
Paid Harold I. Chandler, treasurer, balance of 1938 appropriation,	$145,000 00	
Harold I. Chandler, treasurer, dog license fees,	1,700 13	
Harold I. Chandler, treasurer, on 1939 appropriation,	60,154 50	
		$206,854 63
Balance to new account,		$159,000 00

DOMESTIC ANIMALS KILLED BY DOGS

Balance of license fees in City Treasury Dec. 1, 1938,	$1,700 13	
Dog license fees collected to Dec. 1, 1939,	1,526 37	
		$3,226 50
Paid Walter T. Nims, printing,	$13 50	
Stanley H. Reese, tags,	31 43	
Edward R. Sutton, hens killed,	13 00	
Edward W. Abbott, license fee, rebate,	2 00	
W. A. Hiscock, pullets killed,	15 50	
William H. Robidoux, pullets killed,	84 30	
		$159 73
Transferred to support of schools,		1,700 13
		$1,859 86
Balance in city treasury Dec. 1, 1939,		$1,366 64

PUBLIC LIBRARY BOOKS

Appropriation,	$1,000 00	
Additional appropriation,	18 13	
John Symonds fund interest,	398 10	
Thayer & Chapin fund interest,	200 00	
Ingersoll fund interest,	22 46	
Maria W. Osborne fund interest,	2 51	
Mary R. Hall fund interest,	12 57	
George B. Elliot fund interest,	9 43	
		$1,663 20
Paid account overdrawn,		$3 91
Paid American Library Association, books,	$3 00	
Avon Book Store, books,	2 96	
F. J. Barnard & Co., books,	55 00	
Carol Cox Book Co., books,	16 10	
Chase's Book Store, books,	13 80	
Commonwealth Book Co., books,	1 11	
F. E. Compton & Co., books,	71 32	
Dura Binding Co., books,	77 22	
Educational Guild of New England, books,	1 88	
Encyclopaedia Britannica, Inc., book,	2 85	
F. W. Faxon Co., books,	210 90	
Foreign Policy Association, subscription,	5 00	
Funk & Wagnalls Co., book,	5 30	
G. K. Haynes, books,	3 00	
The H. R. Huntting Co., books,	92 37	
Information Classroom Picture Association, books,	2 12	
William S. Jones, books,	38 00	
The Junior Literary Guild Corp., books,	53 34	
Keene Book Shop, books,	67 12	
John H. Kline, books,	60 03	
McKinley Publishing Co., books,	2 00	
H. A. Manning Co., directory,	7 00	
Milady Publishing Corp., books,	3 30	
The National Library Bindery Co., books,	207 03	
The New England News Co., books,	180 57	
Noble & Noble Publishers, Inc., book,	66	
The Personal Book Shop, Inc., books,	80 44	
Gertrude B. Stearns, books,	5 75	
Superintendent of Documents, books,	2 75	
G. H. Tilden & Co., books,	319 57	
Daniel Webster Council, books,	3 20	
The H. W. Wilson Co., books,	53 20	
Womrath Bookshops & Libraries, Inc., books,	7 40	
Yankee, Inc., books,	4 00	
		$1,659 29
		$1,663 20

PUBLIC LIBRARY EXPENSE

Balance from last year,	$582 95	
Appropriation,	7,000 00	
Henry O. Coolidge fund interest,	843 91	
Deposited by librarian,	411 76	
		$8,838 62
Paid Mary L. Saxton, salary, librarian,	$1,800 00	
Virginia Hall, salary, assistant,	1,000 00	
Bessie M. McGregor, salary, assistant,	840 00	
Lena C. Bishop, salary, assistant,	1,250 00	
Mrs. Frederick C. Stearns, salary, children's librarian,	1,090 00	
Mrs. Kenneth P. Colby, assisting,	17 68	
Sylvia Lombard, page,	54 45	
Clifford W. Farrar, salary, janitor,	1,050 00	
Frank J. Avery, sharpening mowers,	6 75	
R. R. Bowker, goods,	2 00	
Chase's Book Store, goods,	3 00	
Ernest J. Chase, tree work,	121 25	
Damon's Garage, repairs on mower,	2 89	
Warren Delano, services, janitor,	41 25	
Electrolux Corporation, goods,	10 00	
Ellis Bros. & Co., plant,	1 50	
Gaylord Brothers, Inc., goods,	2 65	
D. Gregory Grogan, work,	70 40	
Henry & Johnson, goods and labor,	5 10	
Holdredge & Hilton, goods and labor,	67 93	
Edward B. Holmes, work, etc.,	21 70	
Household Fuel Corp., coal,	490 00	
The H. R. Huntting Co., goods,	8 85	
Ideal Taxi Co., taxi service,	38 50	
Keene Upholstering Co., repairs,	27 00	
Keene Water Works, water rates,	6 00	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	23 90	
Earl W. Little, work,	28 16	
Ellsworth C. Madison, labor,	11 20	
H. A. Manning Co., advertising in directory,	12 00	
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance,	17 91	
Monadnock Nursery, goods,	5 68	
Frank Mueller, work,	46 40	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instrument,	33 96	
Nims Plumbing Co., goods, etc.,	4 80	
Palmer Insurance Agency, insurance,	49 68	
Pearson Bros., goods,	32 87	
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., goods and labor,	15 88	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric lighting,	284 00	
Public Service Co. of N. H., goods,	4 80	
Remington Rand Inc., goods,	19 20	
Herman C. Rice, painting book room,	385 00	
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	89 60	
Marquis O. Spaulding, goods and labor,	4 66	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	1 25	
Star Paper Fastener Co., Inc., goods,	6 00	
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	8 67	
Herbert L. White, trucking,	35 00	
		$9,149 52
Account overdrawn,		$310 90

PARKS

Balance from last year,	$133 17
Appropriation,	5,000 00
Wheelock Forestry fund interest,	305 03
Emily J. E. Daland fund interest,	43 33
Abbott A. Lane Beautification fund interest,	127 00

Deposited by park commissioner,	102 49	
Received from down timber, Dinsmoor Woods,	685 58	
Received from down timber, Wheelock Park,	594 07	
Received from down timber, Robin Hood Forest,	490 73	
Received from down timber, Drummer Lot,	355 37	
		$7,836 77
Transferred to Play Grounds,		171 72
		$7,665 05
Paid Robert T. Kingsbury, salary, commissioner,	$470 79	
John M. Hadley, supervisor,	538 58	
Newell Paire, supervisor,	183 00	
Russell Raymond, director,	164 57	
Lindsey Hall, life guard,	149 33	
Francis Mackey, life guard,	135 50	
Harold Spring, life guard,	120 00	
John Paire, caretaker,	120 00	
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	6 50	
Frank J. Avery, repairs,	7 50	
William Avery, labor,	2 00	
Edward E. Babb & Co., goods,	30 56	
Iva H. Ballou, work,	183 84	
Robert Bradbury, work,	21 20	
The Bullard & Shedd Co., Inc., goods,	7 74	
Edward Calkins, work,	9 60	
The Carey Chair Mfg. Co., goods and labor,	3 63	
Julia F. Chapman, insurance,	33 00	
Chase's Book Store, goods,	2 93	
Cheshire Oil Company, goods,	6 72	
Cheshire Transportation Co., transportation,	112 00	
Coca-Cola Bottling Works, goods,	13 30	
Leon I. Curtis, sawing lumber,	41 50	
Wilfred Deyo, work,	1 60	
Dresser's Business School, programmes,	3 50	
J. N. Dunlap, signs,	11 00	
Farm Service Co., goods,	13 05	
A. E. Fish & Co., goods,	27 30	
David Fish, mowing,	4 00	
W. L. Goodnow Co., goods,	25	
Granite State Dry Cleansers, work,	50	
Willie S. Guillow, boats,	100 00	
Gurnsey Bros. & Co., goods,	2 94	
N. G. Gurnsey & Co., goods,	3 30	
Nils A. Hansson, goods and labor,	27 47	
Joe Henault, work,	11 60	
Richard Hopwood, advertising,	2 00	
F. M. Johnson Lumber Co., goods,	15 70	
Keene Water & Sewer Dept., goods and labor,	6 00	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	99 17	
Earl W. Little, goods,	4 10	
Harry J. Menter, loam,	17 50	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instrument and tolls,	41 69	
Nims Plumbing Co., goods and labor,	16 20	
Joe Paire, work,	3 20	
Palmer Insurance Agency, insurance,	22 00	
Pearson Bros., goods,	15 25	
Ralph W. Payne, pulling stumps,	225 00	
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., repairs to Wheelock Park sign, etc.,	225 23	
Platts Box Company, planting posts,	2 00	
Oliver Poisson, work,	6 40	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric lighting,	12 00	
A. Ricci, fruit,	3 25	

Robbie Rixford, trucking,	1,034 95	
John H. Rule trucking,	230 00	
Sentinel Printing Company, maps,	6 00	
Edward Shea, mowing,	9 60	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc., goods,	9 60	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	28 00	
Streeter's Food Store, goods,	20	
Stone's Service Station, plowing snow,	16 00	
Arthur H. Stone, truck and labor,	240 55	
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	53 70	
George E. Town, goods and labor,	3 13	
Ober H. White, work,	411 60	
Weston Wilber, work,	6 40	
		$5,336 72
Balance to new account,		$2,328 33

LADIES WILDWOOD PARK

Balance from last year,	$171 65	
Ingersoll fund interest,	22 46	
Deposited by park commissioner,	50 00	
Deposited by city clerk,	59 91	
Deposited by Alderman McAllister,	501 29	
		$805 31
John H. Hadley, work,	$65 97	
Farm Service Co., goods,	32 23	
George Fuller, work,	31 20	
Joe Henault, work,	17 60	
Harry J. Menter, loam,	29 50	
Leon Menter, leveling with tractor,	21 00	
Charles Oliver, work,	16 00	
Joe Paire, work,	38 40	
Robbie E. Rixford, trucking,	153 75	
Arthur H. Stone, work,	28 70	
Robert White, grading,	28 80	
		$463 15
Balance to new account,		$342 16

PUBLIC PLAYGROUND

Appropriation,	$1,000 00	
Abbott A. Lane playground equipment fund interest,	25 40	
Transferred from park department,	171 72	
		$1,197 12
Paid account overdrawn,		$7 11
Paid Sophia Nano, instructor,	$85 33	
Betty Brown, instructor,	85 33	
Barbara Beedle, instructor,	77 33	
Rosamond Dean, instructor,	77 48	
Jean Hawley, instructor,	77 33	
Margaret Doucoumes, instructor,	69 33	
Edward E. Babb & Co., goods,	4 06	
Iva H. Ballou, contract,	238 75	
The Bullard & Shedd Co., Inc., goods,	2 90	
Chase's Book Store, goods,	9 08	
Mrs. G. E. Fairbanks, costumes,	5 00	
A. E. Fish & Co., goods,	6 61	
John H. Fitzgerald, goods and labor,	134 76	
W. L. Goodnow Co., goods,	1 14	
Gurnsey Bros. & Co., goods,	1 40	

N. G. Gurnsey & Co., goods,	80	
Nils A. Hansson, repairs,	21 21	
Edward B. Holmes, sand,	3 00	
Richard Hopwood, advertising,	2 00	
Jean P. Howes & Co., goods,	3 00	
E. A. Johnson, goods,	1 50	
F. M. Johnson Lumber Co., lumber,	17 07	
Keene Book Shop, goods,	1 15	
Keene Highway Dept., coasting expenses,	35 30	
Keene Teachers College, mowing,	21 00	
Keene Water & Sewer Dept., goods and labor,	28 50	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	22 26	
Latchis Theatres, Inc., tickets,	6 50	
Michael Morley, work,	2 50	
Newell Paire, traveling expenses to Peterboro,	12 00	
Pearson Bros., goods,	3 83	
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., repairs,	4 62	
Pickett Publicity Co., services,	5 00	
Sears, Roebuck & Co., goods,	1 78	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	73 62	
Streeter's Food Store, goods,	1 20	
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	42 12	
F. W. Woolworth Co., goods,	4 22	
		$1,190 01
		$1,197 12

GARBAGE COLLECTION

Balance from last year,	$250 16	
Appropriation,	3,000 00	
		$3,250 16
Paid Waldemar L. Christopherson,		3,000 00
Balance to new account,		$250 16

ELLIOT COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

Appropriation,	$5,000 00	
Maria A. Griffin fund, interest,	25 44	
		$5,025 44
Paid Treasurer aid to hospital and interest,		$5,025 44

KEENE VISITING OR DISTRICT NURSE ASSOCIATION

Appropriation,		$2,500 00
Paid Treasurer aid to association,		$2,500 00

MINISTER FUND

Income on Minister Fund,		$118 14
Paid Daniel H. Miller,	$14 77	
J. Tremayne Copplestone,	14 77	
Willis E. Smith,	14 77	
George L. Parker,	14 77	
Joseph Rogers,	14 77	
Hervey W. Brown,	14 77	
James E. McCooey,	14 76	
Robbins E. Ralph,	14 76	
		$118 14

SIMMONS & EASTBURN, MORSE & HALL FUNDS

Income on charitable funds,		$132 60
Paid Sarah J. Castor,	$11 05	
Rogean Morgan,	11 05	
Julia G. Hall,	11 05	
Lucy Miller,	11 05	

Edna Breed,	11 05	
Ina Mason,	11 05	
Mrs. Cornelia Bridge,	11 05	
Nettie M. Davis,	11 05	
Mary A. Joslin,	11 05	
Mary Cota,	11 05	
Flora Lettenmayer,	11 05	
Ann Jordan,	11 05	
		$132 60

MARY P. LANE CHRISTMAS GIFT FUND

Balance from last year,	$154 64	
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds, interest,	127 00	
		$281 64
Paid Hattie Towne,	$10 00	
Mary L. Wight,	10 00	
Ann Jordan,	10 00	
Ida Davis,	10 00	
Mabel G. Cady,	10 00	
Mary J. Desmond,	10 00	
Mollie A. Irwin,	10 00	
Ida M. Watkins,	10 00	
Mary E. Avery,	10 00	
Fannie M. Holton,	10 00	
Etta F. French,	10 00	
Mrs. John E. Foley,	10 00	
Marie Smith,	10 00	
Edna G. Breed,	10 00	
Harriet Hildreth,	10 00	
		$150 00
Balance to new account,		$131 64

CEMETERIES

Balance from last year,	$80 25	
Appropriation,	7,500 00	
Income from cemetery funds,	2,505 72	
Deposited by collector Russell,	4,625 00	
Telephone tolls, collected,	3 35	
Received from down timber,	100 00	
		$14,814 32
Paid Frank C. Potter, salary, superintendent,	$1,200 00	
Frank H. Whitcomb, weekly pay-rolls,	8,476 20	
Frank J. Avery, goods and labor,	68 94	
Bergeron & Allan, filling,	200 00	
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	55	
The Bullard & Shedd Co., Inc., goods,	50	
The Carey Chair Manufacturing Co., stakes,	17 25	
Philip S. Carroll, mason work,	6 50	
Ernest J. Chase, forestry work,	147 25	
Cheshire County Grain Co., goods,	115 00	
B. D. Costello, stone work,	7 00	
The C. B. Dolge Co., weed killer,	7 35	
Ellery Nurseries, filling urns,	6 00	
Ellis Bros., & Co., flowers,	124 50	
W. I. Fuller, loam,	200 00	
Nils A. Hansson, goods and labor,	90	
Joseph Harper, filing saws,	2 25	
Gale E. Hill, repairs,	2 50	
Irving's Clothing Store, goods,	13 46	
F. M. Johnson Lumber Co., lumber, etc.,	11 17	
Keene Floral Co., filling vases,	17 50	
Keene Highway Department, gasoline,	136 44	

Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	124 59	
Albert I. Little, resetting stones,	419 00	
H. A. Manning Co., directory,	7 00	
Mason Insurance Agency, insurance,	49 31	
New England Cemetery Service, goods,	10 00	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., instrument and tolls,	28 00	
Palmer Insurance Agency, insurance,	15 00	
Frank C. Potter, use of car and express,	275 60	
Pearson Brothers, goods,	50	
Quigley-Tarbox Chevrolet, Inc., goods and labor,	106 45	
Rawson Products Co., goods,	16 00	
Robertson Motor Co., balance on truck,	945 40	
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	46 50	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	60 83	
Fordyce J. Thomas, goods and labor,	471 77	
G. H. Tilden & Co., goods,	2 70	
Frank H. Whitcomb, recording deeds,	9 50	
Wilcox Battery Service, goods,	11 11	
		$13,360 52
Balance to new account,		$1,453 80

CEMETERY FUNDS FOR INVESTMENT

Received from donors,		$3,550 00
Paid Trustees of Trust Funds:		
Milo A. Smith fund,	$150 00	
Thurston-Stowell additional fund,	100 00	
Paul F. Babbidge fund,	200 00	
Arthur C. Colton fund,	200 00	
Bertha M. Britton fund,	200 00	
Edward J. Kingsbury fund,	450 00	
Nellie M. Cook fund,	200 00	
Adna E. Kendall fund,	500 00	
George A. & Grace L. Howard fund,	150 00	
Royal V. Bryant fund,	150 00	
Royal V. & Grace V. Bryant fund,	150 00	
Farr & Hager fund,	150 00	
William C. Coggin additional fund,	100 00	
Charles H. Mason fund,	200 00	
Henry W. Harvey fund,	150 00	
F. Lula Oliver fund,	150 00	
Mabel I. Ayers fund,	150 00	
Harriet B. Reed fund,	200 00	
		$3,550 00

SUMNER KNIGHT CHAPEL MAINTENANCE

Balance from last year,	$1,243 99	
Income from Sumner Knight Memorial Funds,	470 20	
		$1,714 19
Paid A. Clayton Phelps, caretaker,	$208 00	
Joseph F. Brooks, brushes,	1 99	
Julia F. Chapman, insurance,	12 70	
Farm Service Co., fertilizer,	11 25	
Jesse O. Little, repairs,	33 00	
Nims Plumbing Co., fuel oil,	256 25	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric lighting,	29 04	
Wright Bros., goods,	45 75	
		$597 98
Balance to new account,		$1,116 21

PAYMENT OF BONDS

Appropriation,		$17,000 00
Paid Highway Construction Notes, loan of 1928,	$11,000 00	
Highway Construction Notes, loan of 1929,	5,500 00	
Security Bonds, loan of 1934,	500 00	
		$17,000 00

INTEREST ON BONDS

Appropriation,		$3,592 00
Paid interest on Highway Construction Notes, loan of 1928,	$2,103 75	
Interest on Highway Construction Notes, loan of 1929,	1,338 75	
Interest on Security Bonds, loan of 1934,	150 00	
		$3,592 50

BORROWED MONEY

Appropriation,	$300,000 00
Paid The Merchants National Bank of Boston,	$300,000 00

STATE TAX 1938

State Tax assessed,	$36,972 00
Paid State Treasurer, state tax,	$36,972 00

COUNTY TAX

County Tax assessed,	$51,825 50
Paid County Treasurer, county tax,	$51,825 50

GORDON-BISSELL POST NO. 4

Appropriation for annuity,	$450 00
Paid Treasurer, Gordon-Bissell Post, annuity,	$450 00

PUBLIC BAND CONCERTS

Appropriation,	$500 00
Paid Treasurer, Keene City Band,	$500 00

CHARLES A. JONES BAND FUND

Received from Trustees of Trust Funds,	$25 15
Paid Treasurer, Keene City Band,	$25 15

MILAN F. JONES BENEFIT FUND

Balance from last year,	$15 00	
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds,	30 00	
		$45 00
Paid Deluge Hose Company, interest,		$30 00
Balance to new account,		$15 00

MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

Appropriation,	$300 00
Paid John Sedgwick Post No. 4, G. A. R.,	$300 00

FRANK A. WRIGHT SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Received from Trustees of Trust Funds,		$1,495 00
Paid Howard E. Pratt, tuition, etc.,	$630 00	
Louis A. Rule, tuition, etc.,	865 00	
		$1,495 00

GEORGE B. ELLIOT FUND

Received from Trustees of Trust Funds,	$3 14
Paid Invalids' Home, interest,	$3 14

POLICE BENEVOLENT FUND

Received from Trustees of Trust Funds,		$115 50
Paid Elliot Community Hospital, X-rays, J. H. Dennis,	$23 50	
Walter H. Lacey, services, J. H. Dennis,	70 00	
Georges E. Prevost, services, J. H. Dennis,	22 00	
	$115 50	

PROPERTY SOLD FOR 1938 TAXES

Amount of property sold for 1938 taxes,		$20,133 80
Paid Jay H. Russell, 1938 tax sales,		$20,133 80

BURIAL OF SOLDIER

Received from State of New Hampshire,		$100 00
Paid Charles F. Fletcher, burial,		$100 00

CIVIC ADVERTISING

Balance from last year,	$222 97	
Appropriation,	500 00	
		$722 97
Paid Kenneth Colby, Boston expense, etc.,	$4 19	
W. L. Goodnow Co., record blanks, etc.,	8 08	
Granite State Studio, views,	7 00	
Gilman C. Gunn, bills paid for industrial exhibit,	103 56	
The Holbrook Grocery Co., telephone calls,	90	
Keene Post Office, stamps,	4 50	
Russell W. Knight, address and expenses,	25 00	
Sentinel Printing Co., booklets,	154 50	
Turner Inn, services,	17 00	
		$324 73
Balance to new account,		$398 24

INFORMATION BOOTH

Balance from last year,	$6 10	
Appropriation,	150 00	
Deposited by Alderman Park,	175 00	
		$331 10
Paid Ruth E. Hardy, services,	$122 14	
Helen E. Thomas, services,	60 09	
Cheshire Floral Co., filling window box,	4 50	
Marquis O. Spaulding, goods and labor,	7 67	
Charles H. Tyler, painting,	11 00	
		$205 40
Balance to new account,		$125 70

FULLER-BARTLETT EDUCATIONAL FUND

Balance in City treasury Dec. 1, 1938,	$114,084 11	
Received from Estate of Helen Bartlett Bridgeman,	704 93	
		$114,789 04
Paid Harold I. Chandler, Agent,		$114,789 04

MONADNOCK REGION MEMBERSHIP

Appropriation,		$1,700 00
Paid treasurer 1939 appropriation,		$1,700 00

BAND STAND

Appropriation,	$550 00	
Additional appropriation,	50 00	
		$600 00

Paid Ivah H. Ballou, labor on band stand,	$325 00	
A. E. Fish & Co., goods,	128 26	
O. J. Howard & Co., freight on chairs,	5 50	
Johnson Lumber Co., lumber,	42 79	
Keene Bookshop, flag,	1 76	
Keene Highway Dept., lumber and cement,	40 24	
Knowlton & Stone Co., goods,	3 00	
Henry G. Neugebauer, wiring,	35 00	
Portland Burial Case Co., chairs,	49 98	
Spencer Hardware Co., goods,	22 28	
Charles H. Tyler, painting,	35 25	
		$689 06
Account overdrawn,		$89 06

RECAPITULATION

Receipts

Cash in City Treasury, December 1, 1938,	$411,568 02
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1928,	4 05
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1929,	15 60
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1930,	14 80
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1931,	27 60
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1932,	478 70
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1933,	872 62
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1934,	125 08
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1935,	1,018 54
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1936,	133 52
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1937,	663 54
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1938,	186,152 76
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1939,	345,806 18
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1936, release,	8,230 94
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1937, release,	10,757 46
Jay H. Russell, collector, taxes, 1938, release,	3,825 63
Jay H. Russell, auto permits,	18,773 96
Jay H. Russell, water assessments,	63,329 31
Jay H. Russell, cemeteries,	4,625 00
Frank H. Whitcomb, city clerk, collections,	6,772 61
William B. Stickels, city messenger, collections,	448 00
John H. Fitzgerald, plumber's fees,	10 00
Mary L. Saxton, book fines,	411 76
Arthur A. Wallace, superintendent, water assessments,	3,418 50
Arthur A. Wallace, superintendent, sewer collections,	529 65
Arthur A. Wallace, superintendent, drain collections,	92 58
Robert E. Tucker, chief of police, collections,	2,259 89
Don J. Williams, clerk of Municipal Court, collections,	1,846 05
Arthur A. Wallace, superintendent, highway collections,	4,025 50
Arthur A. Wallace, superintendent, oil and tar collections,	493 46
Arthur A. Wallace, superintendent, incinerator collections,	342 21
Eugene B. Riley, chief engineer, collections,	835 32
Paul B. Hayward, overseer of the poor, collections,	586 25
Evan C. White, health officer, collections,	174 43
Richard L. Holbrook, mayor, burial of a soldier,	100 00
Dayton L. Park, information booth collections,	175 00
Dayton L. Park, rent and sale of shed,	425 00
Robert T. Kingsbury, park commissioner, collections,	152 49
Chandler B. McAllister, down timber collections,	3,524 17
State Insurance tax,	3,678 42
State Railroad tax,	3,203 11
State Savings Bank tax,	6,296 14
State tax and dividends,	23,590 16
Thayer and Chapin fund, interest,	200 00
Jones Deluge Hose Company fund, interest,	30 00

Anticipation of taxes notes sold,	199,453 03
State abatement on tax,	4 33
Knight Memorial Chapel interest,	470 70
Frank A. Wright Scholarship fund interest,	1,495 00
Henry O. Coolidge Fund, interest,	843 91
Cemetery funds, interest,	2,505 72
Giffin Hospital fund, interest,	25 44
Charles A. Jones Band fund, interest,	25 15
Lane Christmas Gift fund, interest,	127 00
Lane Playground Equipment fund, interest,	25 40
Daland Wheelock Park fund, interest,	43 33
John Symonds fund, interest,	398 10
Hall Library fund, interest,	12 57
Ingersoll Library fund, interest,	22 46
Ingersoll Ladies' Park fund, interest,	22 46
Osborne Library fund, interest,	2 51
Simmons, Eastburn, Morse and Hall funds, interest,	132 60
George A. Wheelock Forestry fund, interest,	305 03
Minister fund, interest,	118 14
State Bounty on Hedgehogs,	14 60
Police Benevolent fund, interest,	115 50
State Athletic Association,	9 74
Rent, storage of timber,	47
Lane Beautification fund, interest,	127 00
George B. Elliot Newspaper fund, interest,	12 57
	$1,326,356 27

EXPENDITURES

Orders outstanding, December 1, 1938,	$2,689 27
Ordinary city charges,	29,038 81
City aid to paupers,	24,168 71
City aid to soldiers and families,	1,201 95
Aid to aged and dependent persons,	5,316 33
Health department,	3,133 48
Highway maintenance,	61,928 78
Highway patrol system,	5,001 76
Incinerator,	2,177 91
Treatment with oil and tar,	11,722 90
Forestry care of trees,	1,270 65
Fire department,	24,682 05
Police department,	32,797 99
Water Works department,	51,303 17
Sewer department,	27,602 93
Drain department,	7,094 54
Bounty on hedgehogs,	22 00
Street lighting,	21,771 69
Schools, Union School District,	206,854 63
Domestic animals killed by dogs,	159 73
Public Library, expense,	9,149 52
Public Library, books,	1,659 29
Public parks,	5,336 72
Ladies' Wildwood Park,	463 15
Public playgrounds,	1,190 01
Garbage collection,	3,000 00
Minister fund disbursed,	118 14
Charitable funds disbursed,	132 60
Cemeteries,	13,360 52
County of Cheshire, 1939 tax,	51,825 50
Borrowed money in anticipation of taxes,	300,000 00
Payment of bonds,	17,000 00
Payment of interest on bonds,	3,592 50
Knight Family Memorial Chapel,	597 98
Cemetery funds invested,	3,550 00

Milan F. Jones Deluge Hose Co. fund,	30 00
Frank A. Wright Scholarship fund,	1,495 00
Gordon-Bissell Post Annuity,	450 00
Charles A. Jones Band fund,	25 15
Free public band concerts,	500 00
Memorial Day observances,	300 00
Keene Visiting or District Nurse Association,	2,500 00
Elliot Community Hospital,	5,025 44
George B. Elliot, Invalids Home Newspaper fund,	3 14
Mary A. Lane Christmas Gift fund disbursed,	150 00
Burial of a Soldier,	100 00
Jay H. Russell, collector, property sold for taxes,	20,133 80
Monadnock Regional Association,	1,700 00
Civic Advertising,	324 73
Information Booth,	305 40
Band Stand,	689 06
State tax of 1938,	36,972 00
Police Benevolent fund,	115 50
Fuller-Bartlett Educational fund,	114,789 04
Cash on hand, December 1, 1939,	212,025 37
	$1,328,448 84
Less orders outstanding, Dec. 1, 1939,	2,092 57
	$1,326,356 27

CITY INDEBTEDNESS

CEMENT CONCRETE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION NOTES, LOAN OF 1928

	Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due	
1940	May 1,	4¼ per cent,	$11,000 00	
1941,	"	"	11,000 00	
1942,	"	"	11,000 00	
1943,	"	"	11,000 00	
				$44,000 00

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, LOAN OF 1929

	Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due	
1940,	April 1,	4½ per cent,	$5,500 00	
1941,	"	"	5,500 00	
1942,	"	"	5,500 00	
1943,	"	"	5,500 00	
1944,	"	"	5,000 00	
				$27,000 00

SECURITY BONDS, LOAN OF 1934

	Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due	
1940,	February 15,	4 per cent,	$500 00	
1941,	"	"	500 00	
1942,	"	"	500 00	
1943,	"	"	500 00	
1944,	"	"	500 00	
1945,	"	"	500 00	
1946,	"	"	500 00	
				$3,500 00

WATER WORKS INDEBTEDNESS

WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1931
BABBIDGE DAM

	Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due	
1940,	April 15,	4¼ per cent,	$2,500 00	
1941,	"	"	2,500 00	
1942,	"	"	2,500 00	
1943,	"	"	2,500 00	
1944,	"	"	2,500 00	
1945,	"	"	2,500 00	
1946,	"	"	2,500 00	
1947,	"	"	2,500 00	
1948,	"	"	2,500 00	
1949,	"	"	2,500 00	
1950,	"	"	2,500 00	
1951,	"	"	2,500 00	
				$30,000 00

WATER BONDS, LOAN OF 1934

	Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due	
1940,	February 1,	4 per cent,	$1,000 00	
1941,	"	"	1,000 00	
1942,	"	"	1,000 00	
1943,	"	"	1,000 00	
1944,	"	"	1,000 00	
1945,	"	"	1,000 00	
1946,	"	"	1,000 00	
1947,	"	"	1,000 00	
1948,	"	"	1,000 00	
1949,	"	"	1,000 00	
1950,	"	"	1,000 00	
1951,	"	"	1,000 00	
1952,	"	"	1,000 00	
				13,000 00

SEWAGE SYSTEM BONDS, LOAN OF 1934

	Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due	
1940,	February 1,	4 per cent,	$8,000 00	
1941,	"	"	8,000 00	
1942,	"	"	8,000 00	
1943,	"	"	7,000 00	
1944,	"	"	7,000 00	
1945,	"	"	7,000 00	
1946,	"	"	7,000 00	
1947,	"	"	7,000 00	
1948,	"	"	7,000 00	
1949,	"	"	7,000 00	
1950,	"	"	7,000 00	
1951,	"	"	7,000 00	
1952,	"	"	7,000 00	
1953,	"	"	7,000 00	
1954,	"	"	7,000 00	
				$108,000 00

Total Water Works Bonded debt,	$151,000 00	
Total Bonded City debt,	74,500 00	
Total,		$225,500 00

ASSETS

Uncollected taxes, 1937,	$3,586 16
Uncollected taxes, 1938,	2,475 11
Uncollected taxes, 1939,	151,833 43
Tax titles, 1936,	2,086 14
Tax titles, 1937,	9,105 80
Tax titles, 1938,	16,389 98
Cash in Collector's office,	21,049 82
Water Assessments due,	8,431 60
Water department bills receivable,	2,041 10
Highway department bills receivable,	592 33
Cemetery department bills receivable,	950 00
Cash in city treasury, Dec. 1, 1939,	212,025 37
	$430,566 84

LIABILITIES

Borrowed Money in anticipation of taxes,	$200,000 00
Union School District, balance of assessment,	159,000 00
City orders outstanding, December 1, 1939,	2,092 57
	$361,092 57
Balance of Assets over liabilities,	69,474 27
	$430,566 84

TRUST FUNDS

IN CARE OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1939

MILO A. SMITH CEMETERY FUND, $150.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 329 in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 26446, $150 00

PAUL F. BABBIDGE CEMETERY FUND, $200.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 532 in Section 13 of Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 26445, $200 00

ARTHUR C. COLTON CEMETERY FUND, $200.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 159 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 28662, $200 00

BERTHA M. BRITTON CEMETERY FUND, $200.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 13, Section 12 in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 18472, $200 00

CHARLES H. MASON CEMETERY FUND, $200.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 361 in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 26445, $200 00

EDWARD J. KINGSBURY CEMETERY FUND, $450.

Income to be used for the care of Lots Nos. 6, 7 and 8 Circle Plot in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 29146, $450 00

NELLIE M. COOK CEMETERY FUND, $200.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 25, Section 6 in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 18472, $200 00

ADNA EPHRAIM KENDALL CEMETERY FUND, $500.

Income to be used for the care of Lots No. 283 and 284 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 26448, $500 00

GEORGE A. AND GRACE L. HOWARD CEMETERY FUND, $150.

Income to be used for the care of Lot 11½, Section 8 in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 26446, $150 00

ROYAL V. BRYANT CEMETERY FUND, $150.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 265 in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 18471, $150 00

ROYAL V. AND GRACE V. BRYANT CEMETERY FUND, $150.

Income to be used for the care of Calvin Bryant Lot No. 340 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 18471, $150 00

FARR AND HAGER CEMETERY FUND, $150.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 1042 in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 18471, $150 00

ADDITION TO THE WILLIAM C. COGGIN CEMETERY FUND, $100.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 370 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 18470, $100 00

ADDITION TO THE THURSTON-STOWELL CEMETERY FUND, $100.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 257 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 18470, $100 00

F. LULA OLIVER CEMETERY FUND, $150.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 42 in N. E. D. Woodland Cemetery, (Circle Plot).

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 26446, $150 00

HENRY W. HARVEY CEMETERY FUND, $150.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 32, Section 2 in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 18471, $150 00

MABELLE I. AYERS CEMETERY FUND, $150.

Income to be used for the care of Lot No. 11, Section 3 in Woodland Cemetery.

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 18483, $150 00

HARRIET B. REED CEMETERY FUND, $200.

Income to be used for the care of Lots Nos. 70 and 147 in Greenlawn Cemetery.

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 29693, $200 00

OTHER TRUST FUNDS INVESTED BY THE CITY

LIBRARY BOOK FUNDS

Thayer and Chapin fund, City of New Bedford, Mass., Bond, 4%, January 1, 1957,		$5,000 00
Mary R. Hall fund, Cheshire County Savings Bank, book No. 15631,		500 00
Ingersoll fund, Cheshire County Savings Bank, book No. 1451,		893 52
Maria Wakefield Osborne fund, Cheshire County Savings Bank, book No. 5488,		100 00

CHARITABLE AND IMPROVEMENT FUNDS

Simmons, Eastburn and Morse fund,		
Keene Savings Bank book No. 2053,	$980 35	
Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 3539,	1,000 00	
		1,980 35
Minister fund,		
Keene Savings Bank book No. 2008,	$3,421 73	
Cheshire County Sav. Bank book No. 3538,	1,276 38	
		4,698 11
Firemen's Relief fund, Keene Savings Bank, book No. 1951,		1,048 64
Police Benevolent fund, Keene Savings Bank, book No. 1872,		2,650 24
Ingersoll Ladies' Wildwood Park fund, Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 1455,		893 52
Geo. B. Elliot fund, Keene Savings Bank, book No. 16992,		500 00
Mary R. Hall Charitable fund,		
U. S. Treas. 3¼%, 43-45,	$1,000 00	
Cheshire County Sav. Bank book No. 26041,	1,000 00	
Keene Savings Bank book No. 18199,	1,000 00	
		3,000 00
George Alexander Wheelock Forestry fund,		
Northern Pacific Railway Co., 6%, 7/1/2047,	$4,800 00	
Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 14199,	200 00	
		5,000 00
Maria A. Giffin Elliot City Hospital fund,		
Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 20603,	$1,000 00	
Keene Savings Bank book No. 7409,	11 94	
		1,011 94
Charles A. Jones Band Fund, Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 21282,		1,000 00
Milan F. Jones Deluge Benefit fund, 5 shares Conn. River Power Co., 6% Pfd. Stock,		500 00
Sumner Knight Memorial Maintenance fund,		
Keene Savings Bank book No. 18455,	$41 18	
Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 29402,	2,500 00	
Keene Savings Bank book No. 20085,	2,500 00	
		$5,041 18
Mary P. Lane, Christmas Gift fund, Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 25740,		5,050 00
Abbott A. Lane, Playground Equipment fund, Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 25739,		1,010 00
Abbott A. Lane, Beautification fund, Keene Savings Bank book No. 18004,		5,050 00
Serena W. Upton fund for disabled men, Keene Savings Bank book No. 16416,		263 67
Emily J. Elliot Daland, Wheelock Park fund, Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 29330,		1,000 00
Frank A. Wright Scholarship fund,		
City of Berlin, 4¼% Water Loan, Act of 1925, Bonds due April 1, 1948,	$5,053 02	
City of Berlin, 4¼% Water Loan, Act of 1925, Bonds due April 1, 1946,	5,096 88	

City of Nashua, 4¼%, Permanent Public Improvement Bonds due Jan. 2, 1940,	5,051 05	
City of Nashua, 4¼% Permanent Public Improvement Bonds due Jan. 2, 1941,	5,054 51	
Savings Bank of Walpole, N. H., Book No. 6583,	5,000 00	
Keene Savings Bank, Book No. 16284,	12,519 64	
Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 23370,	15,606 59	
		53,381 69
Total Other Trust Funds,		$99,572 76

TRUST FUNDS IN HANDS OF THE CITY OF KEENE FOR A PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING OR FOR FURNISHING THE SAME

Henry O. Coolidge fund,		
$4,000, County of Hudson 4% due 5/1/59,	$4,000 00	
$19,500, Union School District Note 3½%, due 10/1/61,	19,500 00	
Keene Savings Bank book No. 6221,	56 63	
		$23,556 63
John Symonds fund,		
Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 19920,	$6,900 00	
Keene Savings Bank book No. 7410,	9,135 62	
		$16,035 62

(See further trustees' report.)

See 17th Annual Report, pages 28-31; and 29th Annual Report, pages 59, 60. See also Chapter 292, Laws of 1909.

TRUST FUNDS IN HANDS OF TRUSTEES

Total Cemetery Funds,	$102,112 35
Other Funds,	99,572 76
Coolidge Fund,	23,556 63
Total Trust Funds, under municipal care,	$225,241 74
John Symonds Fund, City Treasurer, Trustee,	16,035 62
Total Trust Funds, under municipal care,	$241,277 36

TRUST FUNDS INVESTED BY THE TRUSTEES OF KEENE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Julia B. Thayer fund,	$10,000 00

EXTRACT FROM WILL OF JULIA B. THAYER

"I give and bequeath to the trustees of the Thayer Library building at Keene, New Hampshire, the sum of ten thousand dollars, the income thereof to be used by said trustees for the maintenance of said library or for the care and maintenance of said library building as said trustees shall in their discretion deem best."

JOHN A. DRUMMER BEQUEST

The John A. Drummer Charitable fund comprises 135 acres of pasture and woodland, accepted in trust by the city councils, April 1, 1920, the income to be divided among the poor of Keene the same as the income from the Simmons, Eastburn and Morse funds are divided. Under the care and direction of the Park Commissioner and Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

RECEIPTS

Milo A. Smith Cemetery fund,	$150 00	
Paul F. Babbidge Cemetery fund,	200 00	
Arthur C. Colton Cemetery fund,	200 00	
Bertha M. Britton Cemetery fund,	200 00	
Charles H. Mason Cemetery fund,	200 00	
Edward J. Kingsbury Cemetery fund,	450 00	
Nellie M. Cook Cemetery fund,	200 00	
Adna Ephraim Kendall Cemetery fund,	500 00	
George A. and Grace L. Howard Cemetery fund,	150 00	
Royal V. Bryant Cemetery fund,	150 00	
Royal V. and Grace V. Bryant Cemetery fund,	150 00	
Farr and Hager Cemetery fund,	150 00	
Addition to the William C. Coggin Cemetery fund,	100 00	
Addition to the Thurston-Stowell Cemetery fund,	100 00	
F. Lula Oliver Cemetery fund,	150 00	
Henry W. Harvey Cemetery fund,	150 00	
Mabelle I. Ayers Cemetery fund,	150 00	
Harriet B. Reed Cemetery fund,	200 00	
Interest various Cemetery funds,	2,505 72	
Interest Thayer and Chapin Library fund,	200 00	
Interest George A. Wheelock Forestry fund,	305 03	
Interest Emily J. Daland fund,	43 33	
Interest Mary R. Hall Charitable fund,	82 80	
Interest Jones Band fund,	25 15	
Interest H. O. Coolidge Library Building fund,	843 91	
Interest Milan F. Jones Deluge Hose fund,	30 00	
Interest Simmons & Eastburn Charitable fund,	49 80	
Interest Ministers fund,	118 14	
Interest Maria A. Giffin Hospital fund,	25 44	
Interest George B. Elliot Library and Newspaper fund,	12 57	
Interest Ingersoll Ladies Park fund,	22 46	
Interest Ingersoll Library fund,	22 46	
Interest Maria W. Osborne Library fund,	2 51	
Interest Mary R. Hall Library fund,	12 57	
Interest Mary P. Lane Christmas Gift fund,	127 00	
Interest Abbott A. Lane Playground Equipment fund,	25 40	
Interest Abbott A. Lane Beautification fund,	127 00	
Interest Sumner Knight Memorial Maintenance fund,	470 20	
Interest Serena W. Upton fund for disabled men,	6 47	
Interest Firemen's Relief fund,	25 71	
Interest Police Benevolent fund,	66 40	
Withdrawal Police Benevolent fund,	57 00	
		$8,757 07

DISBURSEMENTS

Cemetery Funds deposited in Keene Savings Bank,	$1,350 00	
Cemetery Funds deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	2,200 00	
Paid City Clerk for distribution in accordance with provisions of Trust Funds,	5,108 49	
Principal increase, Serena W. Upton fund for disabled men,	6 47	
Principal increase, Firemen's Relief Fund,	25 71	
Principal increase, Police Benevolent Fund,	66 40	
		$8,757 07

H. I. CHANDLER,
Trustee.

PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE CITY

City water works, including water mains, pipe lines, permanent equipment and lands at Echo Lake, Beech Hill and Sylvan Lake, including 2,500 acres of land,	$705,232 00	
Water Works, stock, tools, truck, etc.,	7,500 00	
City hall building and lot,	150,000 00	
Building and Elliot land, rear of city hall,	25,000 00	
Thayer Library building and lot,	30,000 00	
Fire department property,	14,000 00	
Fire station, land and buildings,	50,000 00	
Highway department property,	25,000 00	
City pasture and incinerator,	10,000 00	
Stone quarry and land,	1,000 00	
Merchant gravel bank,	100 00	
Wheelock park,	10,000 00	
Robin Hood forest,	10,000 00	
Children's wood,	300 00	
Minister wood lot,	600 00	
Ladies park,	5,000 00	
Thayer lot,	1,500 00	
Gravel bank, off Main Street,	100 00	
Gravel bank, lower Main Street,	500 00	
Dinsmoor Woods, Five-Mile Square Drive,	2,500 00	
Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co., gift, Five-Mile Drive,	2,000 00	
Fuller Park,	10,000 00	
Christopherson Pasture off Main Street,	500 00	
Building lots, Pinehurst Avenue,	500 00	
Pine land off Arch St., Dr. B. C. Russell lot,	800 00	
Babbidge Reservoir,	50,000 00	
Sewage Disposal Plant,	225,000 00	
Total,		$1,337,132 00

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS OF UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

FISCAL YEAR ADJUSTMENT LOAN, 1937

Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due
1940	2½ per cent,	$5,000 00
1941	"	5,000 00
1942	"	5,000 00
1943	"	5,000 00
1944	"	5,000 00
1945	"	5,000 00
1946	"	5,000 00
1947	"	5,000 00
1948	"	5,000 00
1949	"	5,000 00
Total bonded indebtedness of Union School District,		$50,000 00

FULLER SCHOOL LOAN, 1935

Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due
1940	3 per cent,	$5,000 00
1941	"	5,000 00
1942	"	5,000 00
1943	"	5,000 00
1944	"	5,000 00
1945	"	5,000 00
1946	"	5,000 00
		$40,000 00

CLEVELAND SCHOOL LOAN, 1939

Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due	
June 29, 1940,	1¼ per cent,	$4,000 00	
1941,	"	4,000 00	
1942,	"	4,000 00	
1943,	"	4,000 00	
1944,	"	4,000 00	
1945,	"	4,000 00	
1946,	"	4,000 00	
1947,	"	4,000 00	
1948,	"	3,000 00	
1949,	"	3,000 00	
			$38,000 00

HIGH SCHOOL LOAN, 1939

Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due	
August 1, 1940,	2¼ per cent,	$10,000 00	
1941,	"	10,000 00	
1942,	"	10,000 00	
1943,	"	10,000 00	
1944,	"	10,000 00	
1945,	"	10,000 00	
1946,	"	10,000 00	
1947,	"	10,000 00	
1948,	"	10,000 00	
1949,	"	10,000 00	
1950,	"	10,000 00	
1951,	"	10,000 00	
1952,	"	10,000 00	
1953,	"	10,000 00	
1954,	"	10,000 00	
1955,	"	10,000 00	
1956,	"	10,000 00	
1957,	"	10,000 00	
1958,	"	10,000 00	
1959,	"	10,000 00	
			$200,000.00

Total bobnded indebtedness of Union School District, $323,000 00

COOLIDGE LOT NOTE, $19,500.00.

In favor of City of Keene, dated October 2, 1911, due October 11, 1961, interest at 3½ per cent, payable April 1st and October 1st.

PROPERTY BELONGING TO UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

The area of lots and valuation of lands and school houses in the City of Keene, belonging to Union School District, is as follows:

	Area of Lot Square Feet	Valuation Land	Valuation Buildings
High school,	73,500	$19,500.00	$250,000.00
Junior High school,	28,400	6,100.00	60,000.00
Tilden school,	19,850	625.00	35,000.00
Fuller school,	436,140	3,000.00	47,000.00
North Washington school,	22,675	470.00	3,000.00
Roosevelt school,	64,500	3,000.00	50,000.00
Washington school,	61,235	7,275.00	20,000.00
Franklin school,			40,000.00
Lincoln school,	32,080	900.00	40,000.00
Wheelock school,	59,020	1,500.00	40,000.00
Cleveland school,	2,100	525.00	5,000.00
Symonds school,	261,120	9,100.00	65,000.00
Academy Property,	64,005	13,000.00	7,000.00
Mechanic Arts Building,			20,000.00
Suburban school buildings,			2,500.00
	1,124,625	$64,995.00	$684,500.00

Total area, 1,124,625 square feet or 25.8 acres.

Total valuation:		
Lands,	$64,995.00	
Buildings,	684,500.00	
Total valuation,		$749,495.00

TAX ASSESSMENT

Valuation of the city, real estate, etc.	$18,204,465.00
Exempt except as to state and county tax	
Value of polls	15,196.00
Tax assessed for the year (rate of taxation $2.77 per $100)	524,563.00
County tax	51,825.50
City tax	247,256.21
Union School District tax	219,154.50
Decrease in valuation	37,823.00

Polls, Valuation and Taxes Assessed from 1874 to 1939 Inclusive

Year	No. Polls	Valuation	Rate of taxation per $100	Additional in U. S. D. per $100	Additional in C. S. D. per $100.	Taxes
1874	1919	$4,298,386.00	$1.36	$0.04		$61,065.27
1875	1789	4,676,117.00	1.12	.28		67,354.78
1876	1813	5,737,350.00	1.00	.25		72,341.30
1877	1842	4,852,664.00	1.08	.30		75,961.25
1878	1815	5,366,918.00	1.10	.30		75,639.77
1879	1717	5,081,876.00	.83	.22		62,521.84
1880	1802	5,757,752.00	1.00	.02		60,758.18
1881	1842	5,671,628.00	1.09	.03		70,601.40
1882	1900	5,849,418.00	1.05	.04		67,430.85
1883	1908	5,936,182.00	1.15	.05		73,909.11
1884	1795	5,922,043.00	1.15	.03		72,281.96
1885	1869	5,849,292.00	1.10	.12		72,910.08
1886	1845	5,938,529.00	1.15	.13		77,764.66
1887	1961	5,950,922.00	1.15			70,894.03
1888	1999	6,089,996.00	1.20	.075	$0.06	80,105.80
1889	2075	6,096,732.00	1.20	.10	.05	81,688.24
1890	2046	6,117,404.00	1.30	.16	.08	91,870.91
1891	2126	6,051,111.00	1.25	.095	.08	84,153.70
1892	2027	6,156,366.00	1.25	.125	.02	86,895.93
1893	2051	6,259,608.00	1.25	.14	.05	89,400.98
1894	2032	6,280,468.00	1.25	.085	.03	82,235.04
1895	2090	6,223,142.00	1.15	.15	.10	83,393.75
1896	2173	6,293,686.00	1.35	.175	.06	99,341.97
1897	2173	6,266,894.00	1.35	.145	.025	96,434.73
1898	2274	6,283,854.00	1.35	.145		96,699.49
1899	2276	6,285,466.00	1.35	.125	.05	95,775.89
1900	2297	6,305,182.00	1.40	.18		102,363.28
1901	2415	6,392,250.00	1.40	.17		103,314.97
1902	2505	6,537,616.00	1.45	.18	.01	109,777.23
1903	2471	6,604,180.00	1.45	.18		110,731.56
1904	2454	6,949,862.00	1.55			107,722.86
1905	2502	7,020,671.00	1.55			108,820.40
1906	2541	7,166,210.00	1.60			114,659.36
1907	2565	7,209,682.00	1.70			122,564.59
1908	2584	7,317,197.00	1.70			124,392.35
1909	2679	7,390,288.00	2.00			147,805.76
1910	2721	7,691,954.00	1.70			130,763.21
1911	2751	8,028,369.00	1.70			136,482.27
1912	2859	9,160,926.00	1.65			151,155.28
1913	2929	10,106,925.00	1.75			176,871.18
1914	2847	9,965,704.00	1.70	(Poll tax	$2.00)	175,014.17
1915	2802	10,017,694.00	1.80	" "	"	185,922.49
1916	2776	10,337,630.00	1.90	" "	"	201,967.60
1917	2912	11,000,150.00	1.80	" "	"	204,417.65
1918	2963	11,286,824.00	2.05	" "	"	238,078.33
1919	2772	11,495,050.00	2.40	" "	$3.00	285,633.60
1920	2997	12,262,025.00	2.60	" "	5.00	338,558.88
1921	6313	12,885,876.00	2.55	" "	5.00	363,089.39
1922	6632	16,613,724.00	2.30	" "	5.00	418,467.87
1923	6736	16,024,706.00	2.25	" "	5.00	404,592.74
1924	6457	16,295,074.00	2.22	" "	5.00	404,658.39
				soldiers	3.00	
1925	6591	17,039,526.00	2.56	(Poll tax	$3.00)	464,738.98
1926	6728	18,224,840.00	2.50	" "	$2.00	478,125.65
1927	7146	18,988,300.00	2.45	" "	$2.00	488,347.23
1928	7260	20,517,222.00	2.35	" "	$2.00	504,945.87
1929	7308	21,919,020.00	2.40	" "	$2.00	548,948.38
1930	7500	22,658,354.00	2.42	" "	$2.00	569,380.57
1931	7512	21,043,959.00	2.52	" "	$2.00	551,324.59
1932	7513	20,532,060.00	2.54	" "	$2.00	542,525.79
1933	7393	17,601,281.00	2.76	" "	$2.00	506,495.69
1934	7405	17,716,316.00	2.66	" "	$2.00	491,153.50
1935	7635	17,860,504.00	2.83	" "	$2.00	525,809.14
1936	7655	17,914,218.00	3.07	" "	$2.00	570,331.56
1937	7702	18,064,623.00	2.99	" "	$2.00	540,643.38
1938	7638	18,242,288.00	2.89	" "	$2.00	527,204.54
1939	7598	18,204,465.00	2.77	" "	$2.00	504,266.23

REPORT OF CITY TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand December 1, 1938,		$411,568 02
J. H. Russell, Collector, Taxes	1928,	4 05
	1929,	15 60
	1930,	14 80
	1931,	27 60
	1932,	478 70
	1933,	872 62
	1934,	125 08
	1935,	1,018 54
	1936,	133 52
	1936, release,	8,230 94
	1937,	663 54
	1937, release,	10,757 46
	1938,	186,152 76
	1938, release,	3,825 63
	1939,	345,806 18
	Water,	63,329 31
	Auto,	18,773 96
	Cemetery,	4,625 00
F. H. Whitcomb, City Clerk,		6,772 61
H. I. Chandler, Treasurer,		243,310 09
A. A. Wallace, Highways and Water,		8,901 90
R. E. Tucker, Chief of Police,		2,259 89
M. L. Saxton, Librarian,		411 76
E. B. Riley, Chief of Fire Department,		835 32
W. B. Stickels, City Messenger,		448 00
P. B. Hayward, Overseer of Poor,		586 25
E. C. White, Health Officer,		174 43
R. T. Kingsbury, Park Department,		152 49
R. L. Holbrook, Mayor,		100 00
D. L. Park, Alderman,		600 00
C. B. McAllister, Down Timber Committee,		3,524 17
D. J. Williams, Clerk,		1,846 05
J. H. Fitzgerald,		10 00
		$1,326,356 27

DISBURSEMENTS

Outstanding orders December 1, 1938,	$2,689 27
City orders paid to December 1, 1939,	1,113,734 20
Balance on hand December 1, 1939,	212,025 37
	$1,328,448 84
Less City orders outstanding December 1, 1939,	2,092 57
	$1,326,356 27

HAROLD I. CHANDLER,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF JOHN SYMONDS FUND

ASSETS

Cheshire County Savings Bank, book No. 19920,	$6,900 00	
Keene Savings Bank, book No. 7410,	9,135 62	
		$16,035 62

RECEIPTS

Interest Cheshire County Savings Bank Book,	$171 01	
Interest on Keene Savings Bank Book,	227 09	
		$398 10
Paid City Clerk for distribution in accordance with provisions of Trust Fund,		$398 10

H. I. CHANDLER,
Trustee.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:

Continuing the work made necessary by the disaster of 1938, we cleaned the banks of the Ashuelot river from the Swanzey line to the stone bridge in Court street with the help of W. P. A. labor.

We built a new bridge over the Branch just off the Marlboro road replacing the one carried off by the flood. It is a cement structure with a span twelve feet greater than the old bridge. Built with city funds at a cost of $7,900.

By an act of the legislature towns and cities which had spent in excess of one eighth of one percent of their assessed valuation in rehabilitation work were entitled to assistance from the state in continuing the work. Having already spent over $23,000. the state took over the further expense.

Under the direction of the State Highway Department stumps and trees have been removed from the highway. They have also removed much of the debris in the streams near our brdges.

Our own department has resurfaced many of the gravel walks, and repaired and renewed about 1,800 square yards of cement walks out of this fund. The total contribution by the state was over $17,000.

The bed of the Branch through the City Pasture was filled four to eight feet in depth with gravel brought in with the high water. It has been cleaned out and the material used to fill around the Incinerator and other buildings in the pasture.

A new cold patch shed has been built we think above the highwater line and is so constructed that the material can be heated, mixed and dumped into trucks without further handling.

Another wood shed has been built and both sheds are now well filled with wood.

A storage shed has been built to house materials salvaged from the dump.

We have also built a new pipe rack above the high water line.

During the flood our storage supply of water pipe was filled with rubbish and filth. This pipe has been thoroughly cleaned with live steam and replaced in the new racks.

All these buildings have been built by our employees and the lumber used was cut from our down timber.

Hidden damages continue to arise as results of the disaster. We can meet them only as they come to light.

Our oil and tar operations have been curtailed this year. It has been our aim to oil first the streets that were flooded and then the hill roads as far as possible. It is not economy to cut this appropriation too much. It costs about 5 cents per square yard to oil a road that is in good condition using about one fifth of a gallon of oil per square yard but if the road is allowed to go too long it takes about one and one half gallons for the same space. Oil costs nearly 12 cents per gallon.

A new house being built on Blossom street we have further graded the street and made water and sewer connections.

Stanhope avenue has been graded at the further end and water and sewer line extended to the new broadcasting station.

Vine street recently laid out we have laid water and sewer pipe and graded the street.

Grading in Avalon street and Martell court also has been extended.

In addition to W. P. A. labor used during the clean up period and the financial aid from the state, we have had considerable W. P. A. labor as a relief measure. In order to receive this assistance the city as sponor must make certain contributions.

Nearly all of this labor has been used on the water shed in Roxbury.

Chopping, hauling logs, sawing and sticking cost $3,651.20. Cutting, hauling, sawing and piling wood cost $1,698.05.

Building new wood shed, $515.32.

We now have 174,773 feet of pine plank on sticks in Marlboro, and 150 cords of wood in Roxbury and 400 cords in shed at City Pasture. We have received from the Welfare department $788 for wood.

In replacing the water pipe washed out in the stream at Main street bridge we have gone three and one half feet below the bed of the stream and incased the pipe in cement. Cost $1,601.95.

The same precautions were taken in relaying the pipe crossing the Branch at South Keene. Cost $2,164.40.

There are other points where water pipes cross the streams that should have attention.

After 14 years of continuous service the Beech Hill filter has been refilled with 32 inches of beach sand. Each time the filters are cleaned a certain amount of sand has to be taken out. The work was done according to specifications of the State Board of Health.

The filter in Roxbury will have to be refilled with sand soon.

We recommend that filters and pipe yard be suitably fenced.

COLLECTIONS FOR YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1939.
HIGHWAY DIVISION.

1938		
December	Telephone tolls,	$ 25
	Keene National Bank, cement walks,	17 78
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	4 62
	Water, Sewer and Drains, gasoline,	65 80
	Police Department, gasoline,	42 77
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	12 30
	A. P. Bergeron, oil and tar,	31 85
	Turner Inn, sand,	2 00
	Cash for steel mat,	3 00
	Union School District, sand,	4 00
1939		
January	First Congregational Church, cement walks,	130 30
	Steel's Filling Station, oil and tar,	20 00
	Mrs. W. E. Bullard, tree work,	21 80
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	71 96
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	4 90
	Everett Phillips, junk,	5 00
	Mrs. R. C. Proctor, tree work,	6 00
	Police Department, gasoline,	35 84
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	15 43
	Water, Sewer, Drain Dept., labor, materials,	95 31
February	State of N. H., gasoline rebate,	27 36
	Telephone tolls,	45
	Police Department, gasoline,	37 24
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	12 36
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	100 10
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	5 32
	Public Service Co., pipe,	59 76
	Mrs. Harper, cement walks,	24 28
	Bert Upton, tree work,	24 73
March	Telephone tolls,	55
	Harry Crocker, junk,	67 49
	Aubrey Tucker, oil and tar,	7 15
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	88 62
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	5 60
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	18 65
	Police Department, gasoline,	30 24
April	W. S. Kimball, oil and tar,	13 40
	N. E. Brick Co., goods returned,	2 75
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	92 82
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	12 62
	State of N. H., rebate on gas,	21 56
	G. W. Scott, tree work,	19 60
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	4 62
	F. H. Whitcomb, tree work,	34 93

	Harry Crocker, junk,	75 96
	E. F. Holbrook, tree work,	19 79
	Police Department, gasoline,	37 52
	Play Grounds Committee, labor etc.,	35 30
May	Harry Crocker, junk,	85 42
	Telephone tolls,	15
	Murray Perham, oil and tar,	5 00
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	73 04
	Police Department, gasoline,	34 29
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	7 83
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	7 83
	Mrs. Harper, cement walk,	50 00
	Cheshire County Savings Bank, tree work,	8 60
	M. E. Proulx, wire mats,	7 00
	E. J. Hayward, calcium,	4 00
	Mrs. Harper, cement walks,	20 00
	A. K. Proell, paint,	1 75
June	Welfare Department, gasoline,	7 02
	Police Department, gasoline,	43 94
	Health Department, lumber,	2 29
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	67 50
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	9 91
	Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., refund on grease,	11 38
	Health Department, labor,	4 00
	Thayer Oil Co., wire mats,	6 50
	State of N. H., rebate on gasoline,	10 88
	L. E. Gilbo, oil and tar,	5 70
	Land and Building Committee, labor and materials,	40 24
July	N. H. State Highway Department, gasoline,	4 86
	Mrs. Agnes Merrill, oil and tar,	5 00
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	8 10
	E. Stevens, junk,	25
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	90 72
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	10 45
	Health Department, labor,	2 00
	N. H. State Highway Department, gasoline,	4 99
	N. H. State Highway Department, gasoline,	5 13
	C. W. Cutts, cement walks,	37 48
	P. H. McCushing Est., cement walks,	42 14
	Barrett Company, labor,	95 72
	Police Department, gasoline,	44 15
	D. W. Leroux, oil and tar,	47 00
	J. R. Wellman, oil and tar,	3 40
	State of N. H., hurricane refund,	512 56
August	Harold Savage, oil and tar,	10 60
	Charles F. Fletcher, oil and tar,	12 20
	State Highway Department, gasoline,	4 78
	Ernest Johnson, oil and tar,	5 00
	Heald Bros., oil and tar,	48 30
	Heald Bros., cement walks,	46 30
	H. A. Turner, oil and tar,	7 00
	Putnam Machine Co., oil and tar,	26 90
	Paul Barrett, oil and tar,	8 30
	Masonic Temple, oil and tar,	11 30
	F. J. Cummings, oil and tar,	15 75
	E. A. Johnson, K. P.,	5 00
	State Highway Department, gasoline,	10 91
	State of N. H., gas rebate,	31 08
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	121 43
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	7 98
	State Highway Department, gasoline,	5 59
	J. A. Denison, labor,	10 00
	State Highway Department, gasoline,	2 39
	H. G. Neugebauer, stone dust,	26 90

	Blanch F. Prouty, oil and tar,	16 40	
	Blanch F. Prouty, cement work,	6 00	
	Keene Oil Co., oil and tar,	25 00	
	H. E. Sturtevant, oil and tar,	26 90	
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	12 41	
September	Balance from Hurricane fund,	63 70	
	Knowlton & Stone, wire mats,	48 00	
	George Sharkey, K. P.,	2 00	
	Harry Crocker, junk,	31 99	
	Steel's Garage, oil and tar,	20 00	
	H. I. Chandler, oil and tar,	18 25	
	J. E. Quinn, oil and tar,	5 00	
	P. S. Carroll, oil and tar,	10 50	
	W. S. Hetherman, oil and tar,	5 00	
	Mary E. D. Wright, cement walks,	38 14	
	F. O. Hamblet, stone dust,	4 99	
	Union School District, labor,	5 67	
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	7 98	
	Police Department, gasoline,	43 49	
	Police Department, gasoline,	44 08	
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	195 64	
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	8 51	
	J. N. Beauregard, oil and tar,	29 24	
	Harry Crocker, scrap,	81 35	
	Gus Laurent, old snow fence,	5 00	
	Holland Furnace Co., K. P.,	75	
October	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	72 36	
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	7 66	
	H. L. Capron, old cart,	35 00	
	City of Keene, moving booths,	8 00	
	State of N. H., gas rebate,	25 40	
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	7 16	
	Ivah Ballou, expansion joint,	1 90	
	Union School District, cement walks,	57 00	
November	Emil Grube, stone dust,	7 89	
	Telephone tolls,	70	
	Romy's Market, cement walks,	36 74	
	Police Department, gasoline,	41 24	
	Police Department, gasoline,	47 39	
	Water, Sewer, Drain Department, gasoline,	78 26	
	Welfare Department, gasoline,	4 90	
	Land and Buildings Committee, labor, materials,	65 98	
	Ralph Holman, tree work,	15 00	
	Public Service Co., labor,	62 33	
	City of Keene, moving booths,	8 00	
	P. H. Faulkner, stone dust,	46 94	
	Lawrence Doody, pay roll returned,	40	
	H. D. Carle, cement walks,	10 00	
	Maud E. Kew, cement walks,	10 00	
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., labor,	83 41	
	Cemetery Department, gasoline,	8 21	
	Public Service Co., sand,	3 60	
	A. E. Fish & Co., wire mats,	42 00	
	Total,		$4,861 17

WATER DEPARTMENT

FINANCIAL

Water assessments,	$63,329 31
Cash for stock and labor,	3,418 50
Rent,	100 00

From Down Timber,	796 93	
Balance forward from—1938,	19,984 91	
		$87,629 65
Transferred to Sewers,		12,480 00
		$75,149 65

PAID OUT

Superintendent and office,	$3,642 16	
Water Supply—Source,	1,035 24	
Clean and Maintain Filters,	3,848 27	
Distribution Mains,	5,670 62	
Meter Department,	3,025 25	
Hydrants,	1,521 26	
Office Expenses,	1,265 84	
Shop and Yard,	1,469 25	
Bonds and Interest,	5,368 13	
New Services,	483 38	
Repairs to Services,	2,248 85	
New Extensions,	2,686 26	
Taxes,	463 55	
Land Purchases,	501 37	
New Sheds and Pipe Racks,	1,713 94	
Garage and Trucks,	3,364 16	
Injuries,	35 55	
Material and Supplies,	6,287 54	
Build roads and Clean Water Shed,	5,758 32	
Miscellaneous, Supplies and Expenses,	914 23	
		$51,303 17
Balance on hand—December 1, 1939,		$23,846 48

WATER EXTENSIONS—1939

AVALON PLACE		
Stock and Labor,	$496 68	
BEAVER STREET		
Stock and Labor,	128 40	
GREENWOOD AVENUE		
Stock and Labor,	543 38	
INCINERATOR		
Stock and Labor,	407 06	
STANHOPE AVENUE		
Stock and Labor,	341 04	
VINE STREET		
Stock and Labor,	343 15	
BLOSSOM STREET		
Stock and Labor,	426 55	
		$2,686 26
Cost of New Extensions—1939,	$2,686 26	
Reported—December 1, 1938,	485,430 00	
Total Cost of New Extensions,		$488,116 26
Total Cost of Reconstruction,		133,705 56
Total Cost of Filters,		157,539 74
Total Cost of Works—December 1, 1939,		$779,361 56
Water Bond, Loan of 1931,		$30,000 00
Water Bond, Loan of 1934,		$13,000 00

METER DEPARTMENT

Setting and removing meters,	$412 40
Supplies,	435 79
Repairs,	295 61

Reading and billing,	640 45	
New meters,	1,241 00	
		$3,025 25

Meters in service—December 1, 1939—2,973

NEW WORK—1939

	Hydts.	Gates	6″ C. I. Pipe
Arch Street,		1	
Avalon Place,	1		259
Blossom Street,			320
Baker Street,		1	
Beaver Street,			66
Court Street,		1	
Emerald Street,		1	18
Greenwood Avenue,	1	1	258
Incinerator,			186
Laurel Street,		1	
Main Street,	1	1	18
Marlboro Street,		3	
Park Avenue,		2	
Prospect Street,		1	
Russell Street,		1	
Stanhope Avenue,			252
Vine Street,		1	192
West Street,		1	
	3	16	1,569

WATER MAINS, GATES AND FIRE HYDRANTS
In Service December 1, 1939

SIZE	FEET
1 and 2″,	6,864
4″,	50,256
6″,	158,947
8″,	61,516
10″,	15,747
12″,	38,014
14″,	5,545
16″,	656
20″,	65
24″,	306
12″ Cement Lined,	400
	338,316 Feet—63 Miles, 396 feet.

Total Fire Hydrants,	425
Total Gate Valves,	642
Total Manholes,	129
Total Blow-off Valves,	46
Services in use December 1, 1938,	3,305
Services added to—December 1, 1939,	35
Total Services in use December 1, 1939,	3,340
Services Discontinued,	None

SEWER DEPARTMENT

FINANCIAL

Appropriation,	$11,000 00	
Extra Appropriations,	1,865 00	
Transferred from Water for Bonds,	12,480 00	
Received from Superintendent,	529 65	
Balance forward from 1938,	1,652 77	
		$27,527 42

PAID OUT

Superintendent and Office,	1,307 85	
Repairs and Maintenance,	4,427 17	
Stock,	987 12	
Pumps,	37 87	
Trucks,	443 03	
Boiler,	44 42	
Blacksmith,	121 00	
New Construction,	884 42	
Garage,	51 50	
New Services,	297 30	
Sewer Disposal,	6,521 25	
Sewer Disposal Bonds,	8,000 00	
Sewer Disposal Interest,	4,480 00	
		$27,602 93
Deficit—December 1, 1939,		$75 51
Cost of Sewers—December 1, 1939,	$215,582 15	
Cost of Sewerage Disposal Plant,	243,944 07	
Total Cost of Sewers—December 1, 1939,		$459,526 22

SEWERAGE DISPOSAL PLANT COSTS

Labor and Supervision,	$2,195 90	
Supplies and Expenses,	292 93	
Light and Power,	3,067 74	
Heat,	282 88	
Water,	15 01	
Bonds and Interest,	12,480 00	
Lime,	321 20	
Clean Beds,	345 59	
		$19,001 25
Sewerage Disposal System Bonds,		$108,000 00

The Sewer Disposal pumps have operated 344 days.
Have pumped 476,900,000 Gallons of sewerage.
Average per day, 1, 386,337½ Gallons.
Minimum per day, 800,000 Gallons.
Maximum per day, 3,700,000 Gallons.
Screens cleaned 362 times removing 17,705 gallons of waste.
The Grit Chamber cleaned 2 times removing 1,200 gallons of grit.
Sumps Chamber was not cleaned this year.

155,300 K. W. H. of electricity used at a cost of	$2,951 84
3,000 gallons of fuel oil used at a cost of	$221.25

The tanks have been drawn off 6 times and the Beds cleaned 5 times.
960 Bags of Lime.

200 Gallons of Fuel oil used at tanks at a cost of,	$17 25

SEWER PIPE LAID IN 1939—NEW SEWERS

	STOCK	LABOR	TOTAL
Avalon Street,	$60 12	$236 82	$296 94
Crescent Street,	11 72	40 75	52 47
Greenwood Avenue,	37 22	202 95	240 17
Stanhope Avenue,	69 86	73 00	142 86
Vine Street,	53 10	98 88	151 98
	$232 02	$652 40	$884 42

SEWER MAINS AND LATERALS IN USE DECEMBER 1, 1939

SIZE	FEET
6″,	158,723
8″,	29,378
10″,	20,434
12″,	11,814

15″,	14,304
16″,	12
18″,	791
20″,	4,144
24″,	7,211
30″,	110
	246,921 Feet or 46 Miles, 4,041 Feet
Manholes,	440
Standpipes,	967
Services reported December 1, 1938,	2,767
New Services to December 1, 1939,	32
Total Services December 1, 1939,	2,799

DRAIN DEPARTMENT

FINANCIAL

Appropriation,	$7,000 00	
Received from Superintendent,	92 58	
		$7,092 58

PAID OUT

Superintendent and office,	$1,295 01	
Trucks,	317 76	
Blacksmith,	135 75	
Boiler,	97 64	
Repairs and maintenance,	3,810 59	
Pumps,	26 85	
Stock,	580 69	
New construction,	720 35	
Deficit—1938,	337 42	
New Services,	53 60	
Garage,	56 30	
		$7,431 96
Deficit—December 1, 1939,		$339 38

DRAIN PIPE LAID IN 1939—NEW DRAINS

	STOCK	LABOR	TOTAL
Baker Street,	$78 55	$51 00	$129 55
Court Street,	9 00	53 38	62 39
Dunbar Street,	55 85	92 15	148 00
Pine Avenue,	44 44	50 10	94 54
Vine Street,	68 25	97 25	165 50
Wyman Way,	47 77	72 60	120 37
	$303 87	$416 48	$720 35

Reported cost of New Drains—December 1, 1938,	$175,386 13
Cost of New Drains—1939,	720 35
Total Cost of New Drains—December 1, 1939,	$176,106 48

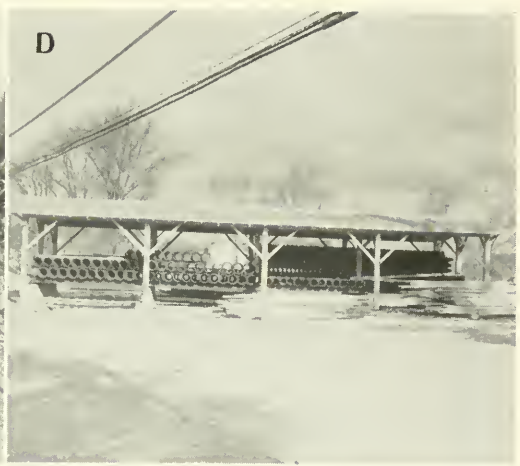
SURFACE DRAINS LAID IN 1939

	C.B.	M.H.	GR.	6″	8″	24″
Baker Street,	4					
Court Street,	1		1	30′	2′	
Dunbar Street,	2	1		42′	80′	
Pine Avenue,	2				22′	
Roxbury Street,	1					
School Street,			1	20′		
Vine Street,	2			2′	140′	
Water Street,						16′
Wilson Street,		1				
Wyman Way,	2				68′	
Total,	14	2	2	94	312′	16′

B

C

D



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A Entrance to incinerator and tool sheds. Road has been raised 4 feet.

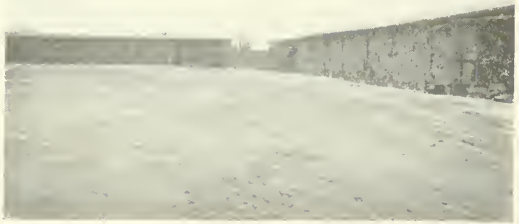
B Cold patch heating and mixing plant.

C Branch river. Six feet of coarse gravel deposited above river bed by 1938 flood has been dredged for filling shown in other photographs. Average fill four feet.

D Storage shed for water pipe.

E Top of dump. Wood sheds constructed from and storing 400 cords of down timber.

E



CIRCUS DAY AT ROBINHOOD PLAYGROUND, 1939

MEMORIAL AT HICKEY-DESILETS PARK
Dedicated Armistice Day, 1939

SURFACE DRAINS IN USE DECEMBER 1, 1939

SIZE		FEET
6″	Pipe,	8,043
8″	"	32,334
10″	"	39,780
12″	"	53,932
15″	"	21,076
18″	"	9,275
20″	"	2,953
22″	"	550
24″	"	4,773
30″	"	930
36″	"	920
		174,566 Feet or 33 Miles, 326 Feet.
	Catch Basins,	1,874
	Manholes,	111
	Grates,	167
	Open Ditch,	19,928 Feet or 3 Miles, 4,088 Feet.

CASH RECEIVED BY WATER, SEWER & DRAIN DEPARTMENTS

Water, Sewer and Drain Division—1939

1938			
Dec.	5	Peace, W.,	$1 00
		Fuller, A. C.,	1 00
		Alger, A. A.,	18 30
		Lock, Vera,	3 00
	9	Cutter, V.,	12 00
	14	Putnam, D.,	13 00
	19	Carle,	6 16
		Robbins, H.,	1 00
		Peace, W.,	1 00
	24	Hager, P.,	6 24
1939			
Jan.	2	King, L.,	1 00
		Peace, W.,	1 00
	5	Kingsbury Mfg. Co.,	81 01
		Robertson Inc.,	20 00
		Pearson, Bros.,	5 25
	6	Robertson Motor Co.,	75
	9	Fuller, A. C.,	1 50
		Vrakititses, George,	2 00
		Lombard, L.,	18 40
	14	Kershaw, J.,	8 06
	16	Peace, W.,	1 00
	21	Croll, Travellers Ins. Co. (Hydt.),	40 00
	23	Robbins, H.,	1 00
	24	Proulx, Earl,	11 00
		Brandt, E.,	23 78
	30	Hayward, R. P.,	26 60
		Peace, W.,	2 00
Feb.	1	Johnson, C.,	11 52
	4	Claywood, H. J.,	5 00
		Russell, C. F.,	2 00
	6	Proulx, Earl,	35 00
		Peace, W.,	1 00
	13	Peace, W.,	4 40
		Robbins, H.,	1 00
	15	Safford, P. E.,	66 14
	17	Sawtell, Don,	12 00
	20	Hardy, H.,	80
Mar.	4	Fileault, E.,	16 51
	6	Hardy, H.,	1 00
		Aldrich, D. O.,	21 32

	8	County Farm,	5 50
		Robertson Inc.,	20 00
		Bartlett, E. H.,	13 60
	18	Derosier & Paire,	1 00
	20	Wheeler, C. H.,	18 58
	22	Howe, Sylvia,	5 00
	25	B. P. O. E.,	7 18
	28	Harding, M.,	2 00
Apr.	3	Vrakititses, Geo.,	2 00
	4	Household Fuel Corp.,	1 50
		Leahy,	38 69
	8	City Hall,	33 13
		Mosher, H.,	11 16
	10	Hardy, H.,	1 00
	14	Public Service Co.,	2 20
	20	Hamilton, B.,	37 72
		Robertson, Inc.,	30 00
May	1	Duquette, S.,	1 00
		Hansson, N.,	22 46
	6	Wheeler & Taylor,	49 53
	8	Duquette, S.,	1 00
	9	Jones, E.,	29 12
	9	Cheshire County Savings Bank,	32 11
	11	Ankud, K.,	24 50
	15	Occhipinti, Frank,	2 00
		King, L.,	1 00
	16	Toof, Mrs.,	22 98
		Pearson, Bros.,	8 73
	20	Smith, John,	45 19
	22	Vrackititses, George,	2 00
	26	North East Racing Assn.,	3 33
	29	Hardy, H.,	1 00
		Douquette, S.,	1 48
	31	Calef, R. S.,	17 00
		Lock, Vera,	3 00
June	1	Burt, E.,	17 00
	5	North East Race Assn.,	4 89
	9	Bennett Blk. (C. C. Savings Bank),	1 50
		Foster, Lena,	3 36
		Welch Co. (Refund-C. Clk.),	50
		Cheshire County Savings Bank,	13 56
	10	Russell, C. F.,	3 63
		Isro, Bernard,	12 00
		Toomey, & Co.,	3 36
		Bergeron & Allen,	2 00
		Hardy, H.,	1 00
		Douquette, S.,	50
	17	Scott, B.,	19 00
		Claywood, H. J.,	5 00
		Douquette, S.,	1 00
	24	Wright, J. A. Co.,	60 49
		Scott, B.,	2 50
	26	Houghton, S.,	21 62
	28	N. Swanzey Water Precinct,	7 50
	29	Wheeler & Taylor,	56 02
July	1	Field, Clara J.,	32 56
		City Hall—Toilets,	18 50
	3	King, Lewis,	1 00
		Norcross, O. V.,	21 50
	5	Stearns, F. F.,	32 71
	10	Hardy, H.,	1 00
		Douquette, S.,	50
	11	Pratt, F. L.,	42 50
	12	Russell, C. P.,	37 71

	15	City Parks,	34 50
		Bourassa, P.,	70 00
	17	Wright, Chas.,	18 89
		Shaw, Chase,	22 76
	18	Curtis, Marion,	10 94
	19	Roundy, Chas. Est.,	12 00
		Hayes, Mary,	29 99
	20	Wellington, R.,	29 41
		Hodgeman, Lizzie,	18 03
	21	Marko & Morse,	63 97
	24	King, L.,	1 00
		Vrakititses, George,	2 00
		Derby, E. H.,	2 00
	28	Wyman, P.,	5 00
		Britton, G.,	35 42
	31	Perkins Machine Co.,	30 69
	29	Derby, E. H.,	2 00
	31	Hardy, H.,	1 00
		Douquette, S.,	50
		Hildreth, Est.,	27 00
		Newall, R. W.,	5 00
Aug.	2	Parcher, H. E.,	39 47
		Nott, Melvin,	1 00
		Hamilton, B G.,	39 31
	7	Vrackititses, George,	2 00
		Baker, Thomas,	12 00
		Tighe, E.,	32 71
		Furlone, H.,	12 48
	8	Wyman, P.,	2 00
		Hudson, P.,	39 77
	9	Knowlton & Stone Co.,	3 60
	10	N. East Race Association,	4 89
	11	City,—Poor Dept. (Hayward),	716 00
		Johnson, E. A.,	5 00
	17	Taylor, Dr.,	60 88
	18	Mosher, U.,	8 82
	19	Sargent, L. G.,	1 00
		Faulkner & Colony,	6 60
	21	Hardy, H.,	1 00
		Wyman, P.,	2 00
	22	Masonic Building Association,	3 36
	24	Spaulding, M. O.,	16 46
	25	Patnode, A.,	5 00
		Curtis, M.,	5 00
		Luce, L. A.,	15 12
	28	Douquette, S.,	50
		Higgins, John,	40 09
	29	Kharfen, H.,	35 76
	31	City,—Poor Dept. (Hayward),	54 00
		Alger, A. A.,	20 07
Sept.	1	Stone, F.,	31 47
	5	Douquette, S.,	50
	6	Lock, Vera,	2 00
		Hinds, Lizzie,	23 96
	8	Pearson, F.,	3 25
	9	Mosher, U.,	11 16
		Abbott, John,	46 25
	11	Hall, F. J.,	23 00
	12	Isro, A.,	1 00
		Wyman, P.,	2 00
	13	Lynn Wood Heel,	2 75
		Perham, M. L.,	2 00
	15	N. East Racing Assn.,	2 50
	16	Nims Plumbing Co.,	80
	17	Hildreth Estate,	5 00

	18	Blake, G. H.,	12 00	
	20	Perham, M.,	2 00	
		Nagine, F.,	17 00	
	21	Pearson Bros.,	8 00	
	22	Allen, Levi Estate,	2 00	
	23	Stickney, C. E.,	3 10	
	25	Gillis, Bessie,	35 96	
	27	N. East Racing Association,	3 82	
	28	Hebert, A.,	13 00	
	29	Bridge, R. E.,	2 85	
		Rowell, A. N.,	20 00	
Oct.	2	Trumbull, Co.,	1 25	
	5	Perham, M.,	2 00	
	6	Aldrich, N. M.,	41 05	
	9	Grout, Fred,	17 00	
		Abbott, Edward,	61 67	
		Vrackititses, George,	2 00	
		Hardy, H.,	1 00	
		Douquette, S.,	1 00	
		Bemis, H.,	22 00	
		Stone, A.,	16 16	
	11	Boston Iron & Metal (Meters),	82 55	
		Wyman, Paul,	2 00	
		Curtis, M.,	2 50	
	13	Cummings, F. J.,	80	
	16	Damon, M. V.,	3 75	
	17	Grout, Fred,	18 09	
		Pierce, H. A.,	44 14	
		Damon, M. V.,	6 49	
	18	Hayward, R. P.,	32 60	
		Perham, M. L.,	2 00	
	20	Callahan, Mrs. Grace,	56 21	
		Aldrich, B. O.,	28 78	
	21	City,—Poor Dept., (Hayward),	38 00	
	26	Newall, R. W.,	4 60	
	21	Mosher, H.,	1 91	
	23	Douquette, S.,	50	
		North Swanzey Precinct,	2 75	
	24	Carey, F. L.,	23 00	
	28	Forcier, Joseph,	28 61	
	30	Hardy, H.,	1 20	
		Douquette, S.,	50	
	31	Trumbull Co., (Wood Street),	62 07	
Nov.	2	Hildreth Estate,	5 00	
		Barrett, Mary (Stanton),	35 00	
	3	Rix, George,	18 66	
	6	Vrackititses, George,	2 00	
		Wyman, Paul,	2 00	
		Curtis, M.,	2 50	
		Bent Ice,	2 25	
	13	Safford, B.,	12 88	
	15	Doody, R.,	5 00	
		Towne, A. E. Est.,	15 29	
	17	Bennett Block,	1 50	
	21	Hamilton, B. G.,	36 77	
	22	Doody, R.,	1 00	
	27	Bourassa, W.,	50	
		To December 1, 1939,		$4,040 73

Respectfully submitted,
ARTHUR A. WALLACE,
Superinendent of Public Works.

REPORT OF ASSESSORS

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Keene:

The Board of Assessors of the City of Keene respectfully submit the following report as provided by the terms of the ordinance under which said board was created.

Total appraised valuation of all the real estate in the city assessed for taxation for the year 1939.		
Lands and buildings,	$13,851,742 00	
Mills and machinery,	1,794,106 00	
Electric Plants,	633,287 00	
		$16,279,135 00
Total appraised valuation of all the personal estate in the city assessed for taxation for the year 1939,		1,777,527 00
Total valuation, exclusive of livestock and gasoline pumps,		$18,056,662 00
Tax rate, $2.77.		
Taxes on real estate and personal,	$504,266 23	
Taxes from polls, 7,405,	15,196 00	
State and county taxes, on exempted properties, none		
National Bank tax,	5,100 77	
Amount to be collected by tax collector for the year, 1939,		$524,563 00

THE REAL ESTATE WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OWNED BY THE CITY AND THE VALUE OF THE SAME

Ward	
4. Wheelock park, 23.97 acres; addition, 15.35,	$7,000 00
2. Robin Hood forest, 89 acres,	7,000 00
2. *City Park, 16.15 acres.	
2. Children's Wood park, 12 acres,	300 00
2. Minister lot, 55.50 acres,	600 00
3. Central Park, 0.40 acres.	
1. City pasture, 68.70 acres, and buildings,	10,000 00
3. *Sylvan Lake, 73.97 acres.	
2. Stone crusher lot, 14.37 acres.	
1. Fairfield land, 18.60 acres,	2,200 00
Brooks land, 1 acre,	50 00
4. Ladies' Wildwood park, 12.25 acres,	3,500 00
2. City Hall block,	150,000 00
3. City fire station,	50,000 00
2. Land and buildings in rear of City Hall,	25,000 00
Sand bank, Lower Main Street,	3,000 00
Dinsmoor Woods,	1,900 00
Faulkner & Colony,	1,700 00
Faulkner & Colony,	2,000 00
Fuller Park,	10,000 00

*See property Keene Water Works.

APPRAISED VALUE OF REAL ESTATE IN BUSINESS DISTRICT

Ward		
5. Abbott Grocery Co., buildings and land.		
Buildings, Railroad Square,	$8,500 00	
9,380 square feet land,	9,350 00	
Land and buildings,		17,850 00
5. American Express Building,		4,975 00

Ward		
4.	Ashuelot-Citizens Bank, area of land, 2,135 square feet. Value of buildings and land,	73,000 00
5.	Baldwin, C. C., 4,518 square feet of land and Commercial Garage,	11,050 00
3.	Ball's Block, area of land, 8,312 feet. Value of land and buildings,	60,000 00
1.	Barry, John R., area of land, 5,200 feet. Value of land, R. R. Street and buildings,	6,000 00
3.	Bennett, Frank J. House, Washington St., and Block, land, 12,715 sq. ft.,	63,750 00
1.	Bergeron, T. H., building, R. R. St.,	2,975 00
4.	Bloomer, Asa S., Armory. Land, 10,300 sq. ft., buildings,	15,000 00
5.	Booras & Meleones, area of land, 2,770 feet. Value of land and buildings,	45,000 00
1.	Borofsky, Isadore, Railroad St., 4,950 sq. ft. Land and buildings,	10,200 00
5.	Boston & Maine Railroad, land and garage and round house,	8,500 00
2.	Bridgman, Chas. Estate, area of land, 3,780 feet. Value of land and buildings,	34,000 00
4.	Chamberlain, W. P. Co., area of land, 10;320 feet. Value of land and buildings,	120,000 00
2.	Cheshire County Bank, area of land, 5,763 feet. Value of land and buildings,	100,000 00
5.	Cheshire National Bank, area of land, 1,975 feet. Value of land and buildings,	43,000 00
2.	Colony, George H. Estate, area of land, 5,118 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	63,800 00
5.	Crystal Cafe, land and buildings,	10,000 00
5.	Doukas Bros. Land and building,	21,000 00
1.	Duffy, John M., R. R. Street, area of land, 5,885 feet. Value of land and buildings,	11,100 00
1.	Duffy, John M., Church Street, area of land, 3,385 square feet. Value of land and buildings, French block,	8,500 00
5.	Elliot, John, Atty, area of land, 11,235 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	110,500 00
	Elliot, John, 4,530 sq. ft., land and buildings,	51,000 00
1.	Ellis, Mrs. Bertram, area of land, 61,880 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	190,000 00
1.	Fairfield's Garage. Value of building,	14,450 00
1.	Fitch, L. M., Church and R. R. St. 16,300 sq. ft. land and buildings,	40,000 00
5.	General Mills, Inc., 8,397 sq. ft., land and buildings,	12,625 00
5.	Georges, Max W., area of land, 14,070 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	84,000 00
5.	Holbrook Grocery Co., area of land, 3,830 sq. feet. St. James Street. Value of land and buildings,	29,750 00
4.	Howe, Reginald, West St. 3,006 sq. ft. land and buildings,	41,000 00
5.	Insurance Building, Inc., block, Lamson and Federal Street, Area of land, 3,054 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	29,750 00
4.	Keene Savings Bank, 1,320 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	24,000 00
3.	Keene Development Co., Mechanic St.,	20,000 00
3.	Keene National Bank, Area of land about 5,350 sq. ft., value of building,	102,000 00
1.	Kresge, S. S. Co., Cheshire House Block, land,	50,000 00
1.	Lane, Elisha F., E. F. L. Block, area of land, 10,250 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	144,500 00
1.	Lane block, area of land, 28,880 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	180,000 00
5.	Lane, E. F., Exchange block, area of land, Value of land and buildings,	76,500 00

Ward		
5.	Latchis, Demetrios, total area of land, 28,905 square feet. Lamson block and theatre,	141,000 00
5.	Latchis, Demetrios, Main and Commercial St., Value of land and buildings,	109,000 00
3.	Libbares, George and Fred, area of land, 2,485 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	19,600 00
2.	Medvidofsky, Fannie, Roxbury St., 7,200 sq. feet. Land and buildings,	22,100 00
3.	Museum Block, Inc., 5,670 sq. ft. of land, value of building,	45,250 00
1.	Newberry, J. J. Co., area of land, 9,430 sq. ft. Value of land and buildings,	185,000 00
5.	Nims, Martha, area of land, 1,800 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	35,700 00
1.	Nims, Mrs. Sidney A., Church Street, area of land, 3,537 square feet. Value of lands and buildings,	18,000 00
1.	O'Neil, Daniel E., land and buildings,	58,000 00
5.	Pananides Blk., land and building,	22,100 00
3.	Public Service Co. of N. H., 24,150 sq. ft., land and buildings,	76,500 00
1.	Redfield, Frank G., area of land, 10,000 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	14,450 00
1.	Robertson Motor Co., land and buildings,	55,200 00
5.	Sentinel Printing Co., area of land, 4,815 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	81,000 00
	New Sentinel Bldg., West St.,	51,000 00
4.	Shedd Bros., Inc., cor. Winter St. Value of 1,800 sq. ft. of land and building,	25,000 00
1.	Spencer Hardware Co., area of land, 9,690 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	16,150 00
2.	Stone, Charles H. Estate, area of land, 2,025 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	25,500 00
3.	Streeter, Bernard A., area of land, 6,180 sq. ft. Value of land and buildings,	15,300 00
3.	Swan, H. E., Mechanic St. Bldg.,	14,450 00
1.	Swift & Co., area of land, 2,370 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	6,800 00
5.	Tierney, John C., Est., area of land, 1,465 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	20,500 00
5.	Whitney, Roy V. Value of land and buildings,	25,000 00
5.	Whipple, Bertha S., area of land, 4,182 square feet. Part of Lamson property. Value of land and buildings,	31,000 00
1.	Whipple, Bertha S., Merriam Property and Scenic Theatre. Land and buildings,	33,000 00
4.	Whitcomb, Hannah P., area of land, 5,676 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	38,250 00
2.	Wright Bros., area of land, 7,800 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	15,300 00
1.	Wright, Mrs. J. H., area of land, 9,200 square feet. Value of land and buildings,	20,500 00

APPRAISED VALUE OF ALL MANUFACTURING PLANTS IN CITY FOR 1939

Averill, Richard C., Foundry, land and buildings,	$10,200 00
Beaver Mills, land and machinery,	93,750 00
Beverstock, O. D. Co., machinery,	4,000 00
Callahan, Loretta, land and buildings, R. R. St.,	7,100 00
Carey Chair Co., buildings and machinery, Victoria St.,	40,000 00
Conn. River Power Co. of N. H. 38 Towers 204—Poles and wire,	93,000 00
Demeritt-Fisher Co., Inc., Emerald Street, land and buildings,	14,250 00
Machinery,	5,000 00

Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co., land and buildings and machinery,	110,000 00
Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co., sales room,	1,000 00
Faulkner & Colony, power plant,	26,250 00
Fish, A. E. & Co., shops, land and machinery,	17,800 00
General Ice Cream Corp., machinery, land and buildings,	5,900 00
Golding-Keene Co., land and buildings,	17,000 00
Golding-Keene Co., land and buildings, Ralston St.,	31,750 00
Machinery,	26,145 00
Goodnow, W. L., machinery,	5,000 00
Gurnsey Bros. Co., machinery,	500 00
Gurnsey, N. G. & Co., machinery,	8,000 00
Gurnsey, R. F., building,	18,000 00
Gurnsey, R. F., land and buildings,	19,250 00
Henkel & Son, building,	16,000 00
Henkel & Son, machinery,	22,000 00
Hop Lee Laundry, machinery,	200 00
Impervious Package Co., Pearl Street, land and buildings,	3,500 00
International Narrow Fabric Co., Eagle Ct., land, building,	42,000 00
International Narrow Fabric Co., Congress St., land and buildings,	44,200 00
Joyce & Dedo, machinery,	800 00
Keene Chair Co., land and buildings,	14,450 00
Machinery,	3,300 00
Keene Furniture Manufacturers, Inc., machinery,	25,000 00
Keene Savings Bank, Lynn Wood Heel Building,	22,500 00
Keene Silk Fibre Mills, buildings and machinery,	62,500 00
Keene Washing Products Co., land, buildings and machinery,	4,800 00
Kharfen Mfg. Co., machinery, land and buildings,	8,500 00
Kingsbury Mfg. Co., buildings and land,	55,000 00
Machinery,	30,000 00
Kingsbury Machine Tool Co., factory building,	47,825 00
Machinery,	121,450 00
Kingsbury Machine Tool Co., office bldg.,	19,125 00
Kingsbury Machine Tool Co., wooden building,	5,000 00
Lane, Elisha F. Estate, brick building (Water St.),	14,450 00
Latchis Theatres of Keene, Inc., machinery,	5,000 00
Lombard Auto Co., shops and machinery,	1,025 00
Lynn Wood Heel Co., machinery,	10,000 00
Markem Machine Co., machinery,	7,000 00
Martell, A. E. Co., land and buildings,	35,250 00
Machinery,	40,000 00
N. E. Box Co., land, buildings and machinery,	30,000 00
N. E. Woodenware Corp., land, buildings and machinery,	41,250 00
N. H. Mica & Mining Co., land, buildings and machinery,	6,000 00
Perkins Machine Co., factory and house,	22,100 00
Machinery,	5,000 00
Perkins, M. S., one-half Daly Shoe Building,	4,250 00
Pittsburg Plate Glass Co., land and buildings,	100,650 00
Princess Shoe Co.,	28,000 00
Putnam, Fred A. Mfg. Co., land, buildings and machinery,	19,600 00
Putney, Maud R., laundry building house, land and machinery,	19,450 00
Russell, C. L. & Sons, land and buildings,	20,000 00
Machinery,	3,000 00
Scenic Theatre, machinery,	4,500 00
Sentinel Printing Co., machinery,	43,000 00
Sprague and Carleton, buildings,	43,900 00
Machinery,	7,600 00
Thayer Portable House Co., mill and machinery,	4,250 00
Whitcomb, Arthur, one-half Daly Shoe,	5,000 00
Mills and machinery,	6,300 00
Hanger,	500 00
Wright, John A. & Co., land, buildings and machinery,	25,000 00
Land and storehouse, Dunbar Street,	9,625 00

STOCK IN TRADE OF MANUFACTURERS AND BUSINESS CONCERNS OF $500 OR MORE

Aldrich, Harry N.,	$3,500 00
Amsden Shoe Co.,	6,000 00
Applin, E. H.,	1,700 00
Armstrong News Co., The,	1,600 00
Ashuelot Motor,	4,500 00
Balch Bros.,	1,000 00
Bardis Fruit Co.,	2,000 00
Batchhelder Tire Service Co.,	3,000 00
Beedle Piano Co.,	3,400 00
Bent, J. H.,	3,100 00
Berkeley Stores, Inc.,	12,500 00
Bergeron, Arthur P.,	7,800 00
Bloomer & Haselton,	11,000 00
Bon Ton Restaurant,	1,000 00
Bullard & Shedd Co.,	12,000 00
Carey Chair Co.,	45,000 00
Carpenter, F. A. & Co.,	2,750 00
Carpenter, Frederick A.,	1,500 00
Carroll Cut Rate,	3,500 00
Chabott, Eli,	2,350 00
Chase's Book Store,	8,500 00
Cheshire Beef Co.,	1,500 00
Cheshire Oil Co.,	2,000 00
Cheshire Wood Heel,	600 00
Cohen, Louis (Market),	1,500 00
Colonial-Beacon Oil Co.,	9,000 00
Consumers Wholesale Food,	670 00
Coombs Service Station,	600 00
Costello, Belmiro,	1,200 00
Crocker, Harry,	1,000 00
Crystal Cafe,	500 00
Cummings, Fred J., ice and lumber,	4,000 00
Damon, Jonas,	7,000 00
Danglo, Anthony,	500 00
Davis Coal & Oil Co.,	5,250 00
Delay Co., Inc.,	1,000 00
Demeritt Fisher & Co.,	4,000 00
Dexter Optical Co.,	3,926 00
Di'Meco, Angelo,	500 00
Douglas Shoe Co.,	5,100 00
Doukas Bros.,	2,000 00
Dubois, Malvina,	500 00
Duchesneau, Robert,	1,000 00
Duffy, John M.,	7,000 00
Dunlop Tire Co.,	2,000 00
Dunnell, Alton,	800 00
Economy Coal Co.,	4,100 00
Ellis Bros. Co.,	3,000 00
Elm City Grain Co.,	3,000 00
Emerson, Reginald,	1,200 00
Emmonds Luncheonette,	500 00
Endicott-Johnson,	7,000 00
Fairbanks, O. K. & Son,	12,400 00
Fairfield, Guy,	8,800 00
Farrar, F. A.,	1,500 00
Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co.,	85,813 00
Faulkner, H. K.,	10,000 00
Field's Garage,	500 00
Fish, A. E. & Co.,	10,000 00
Fishman Department Store,	11,000 00
First National Stores Inc. (3 stores)	11,000 00
Fletcher, C. F.,	2,000 00
Forcier, Georgiana,	600 00
Fortier, Alma,	500 00

Fox, Morris,	1,000 00
Geddes Supply Co.,	14,500 00
Geddes Oil Co.,	1,500 00
General Ice Cream Corp.,	1,000 00
General Mills, Inc.,	8,500 00
Gene's Men's Store,	2,500 00
Gibney, William E.,	550 00
Gid's Cut Rate,	1,100 00
Gilbo, Earl M.,	3,000 00
Gofkauf's, Inc.,	5,500 00
Golding-Keene Co.,	2,350 00
Goodnow Foods Inc.,	3,800 00
Goodnow, W. L. Co.,	25,000 00
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.,	3,500 00
Gorges, Arthur,	1,500 00
Gorges, Edward & Son,	500 00
Gorges, Howard H.,	700 00
Granite State Auto Body,	700 00
Greene Mineral Paste,	2,000 00
Grower, Harry C.,	7,500 00
Gulf Oil Corp.,	3,500 00
Gurnsey Bro. & Co.,	7,000 00
Gurnsey, N. G. & Co.,	30,000 00
Hansson, Nils,	1,500 00
Hayward Service Station,	650 00
Henkel & Son.,	16,000 00
Henry and Johnson,	1,200 00
Holden, H. L. Co.,	500 00
Hood & Follansbee,	1,000 00
Hope Coal Co.,	2,500 00
Howard's Market,	600 00
Howard, O. J. & Co.,	2,500 00
Holbrook Grocery Co.,	101,831 00
Household Fuel Corp.,	12,000 00
Holdredge & Hilton,	600 00
Houran, D. F.,	3,800 00
Howes, Jean P. & Co.,	4,000 00
Howe & Hayward,	4,500 00
Howe, Reginald F.,	1,500 00
International Narrow Fabric Co.,	19,000 00
J. & C. Department Store,	6,500 00
Jack's Farm Products,	500 00
Jenkins, Leslie,	600 00
Johnson, Ernest A.,	5,000 00
Johnson Motor Parts,	10,000 00
Johnson Lumber Co.,	15,000 00
Kalamazoo Stove Co.,	800 00
Keene Book Store,	2,200 00
Keene Chair Co.,	18,500 00
Keene Furniture Manufacturers, Inc.,	25,000 00
Keene Oil Co.,	5,000 00
Keene Mill End Store,	3,000 00
Keene Public Market,	1,400 00
Keene Screen and Awning,	550 00
Keene Silk Fibre Mills,	4,000 00
Keene Washing Products Co.,	3,800 00
Kharfen Mfg. Co.,	2,500 00
King, Lewis S.,	700 00
Kingsbury Mfg. Co.,	35,000 00
Kingsbury Machine Tool Co.,	78,500 00
Kingsbury, Robert T.,	9,000 00
Knowles, Claire L.,	500 00
Knowlton & Stone Co.,	35,000 00
Kresge, S. S., Co.,	10,000 00
Kretowicz, Stephania,	800 00
Lemay Furniture Co.,	5,000 00

Libbares Bros.,	1,800 00
Lichman, Hyman,	700 00
Linen Shop, The,	2,000 00
Lis, Michael,	1,300 00
Lis, Morris,	1,000 00
Loiselle Family Shoe Store,	5,300 00
Lombard Auto Co., Inc.,	800 00
Lorandeau, Sidney,	500 00
Lovering, H D.,	4,000 00
Lynn Wood Heel,	3,000 00
Mac's Fruit Store,	3,500 00
Mansfield, Harry E.,	800 00
Markem Machine Co.,	13,300 00
Martell, A. E. Co.,	61,500 00
Martin, Clifford,	1,500 00
McGreen, J. V.,	500 00
Medical Hall,	3,600 00
Miller Bros.-Newton,	17,000 00
Molly's Shop,	4,000 00
Monadnock Nursery,	4,100 00
Monadnock Laundry,	7,000 00
Morgan Memorial,	700 00
Nadon, Napoleon,	500 00
Neon Radio,	700 00
Newberry, J. Co.,	15,500 00
N. E. Box Co.,	33,000 00
N. E. Woodenware Corp.,	20,000 00
N. H. Mica & Mining Co.,	12,000 00
Nolin's, Inc.,	10,000 00
North Street Cash Market,	600 00
Nichols, George,	1,000 00
Nims, Arthur B.,	5,000 00
Nims, Walter T.,	900 00
O'Neil, Daniel,	1,000 00
Pearson Bros.,	22,000 00
Perkins Machine Co.,	3,000 00
Perry, Frank W.,	500 00
Perry Furniture Co.,	600 00
Pierce, Harry A.,	800 00
Pishon, Melvin,	800 00
Pike & Whipple,	8,000 00
Pittsburg Plate Glass Co.,	37,250 00
Platts Box Co.,	8,000 00
Platts, Geo. O. & Co.,	500 00
Pratt, Vernon G.,	700 00
Princess Shoe Co.,	15,000 00
Public Service Co. of N. H.,	27,000 00
Puritan Clothing Store,	2,000 00
Putney, Maud R.,	500 00
Quinn, Arthur W. Estate,	1,500 00
Quigley & Tarbox,	15,100 00
Radio Restaurant,	700 00
Remington, Florist,	500 00
Retailers Ice Cream,	750 00
Rice, Herman C.,	3,000 00
Rival Foods,	1,200 00
Rivers, W. C.,	600 00
Roberts-Hart Shoe Co.,	6,000 00
Robertson Motor Co.,	30,000 00
Roche, M. G.,	2,000 00
Romy's Market,	1,300 00
Rounds, J. S.,	1,200 00
Rowell, A. N.,	900 00
Rule, A. R.,	700 00
Russell & Foster,	10,200 00
Russell, C. L. & Sons,	1,000 00

Sadoques, Margaret,	500 00
Safford, Perley,	900 00
Sargent Motor Co.,	3,000 00
Sawyer, Walter A.,	4,000 00
Scott, Glenroy W.,	500 00
Sears Roebuck Co.,	27,000 00
Sentinel Printing Co.,	5,000 00
Shea & Culliton,	1,100 00
Shell Oil Co.,	3,000 00
Sinclair Refining Co.,	3,500 00
Smith Auto Sales Co.,	7,000 00
Smith, Fay M.,	7,600 00
Smyth Specialty Store,	1,500 00
Snowling, Sadie,	1,200 00
Snowling, Samuel, Jr.,	2,250 00
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.,	15,000 00
Spencer Hardware Co.,	69,100 00
Sprague & Carleton,	15,000 00
Spaulding, M. O.,	3,000 00
Standard Brands,	500 00
Stearns, Frank F.,	3,000 00
Steele, George W.,	800 00
Sterling, E. O. Co.,	500 00
Sterling Oil Co.,	1,000 00
Stickney, Clarence E.,	2,000 00
Stone, Howard H.,	800 00
Stone, John M.,	600 00
Streeter's Food Store,	4,000 00
Sturtevant, H. E.,	700 00
Sunshine Feeds,	3,000 00
Swift & Co.,	4,000 00
Sweeney, Edwin C.,	1,800 00
Tasoulas, John,	700 00
Thayer Portable House Co.,	5,000 00
The American Oil Co.,	3,000 00
The Central Market,	2,000 00
The Great A. & P. Tea Co., 4 stores,	11,000 00
The Hampshire Press,	1,600 00
The Neighbor Store,	2,300 00
The Royal,	8,500 00
The Sally Book Shop,	750 00
The Texas Co.,	2,000 00
Tide Water Assoc. Oil Co.,	2,900 00
Toomey, W. V. & Co.,	2,500 00
Towne, Geo. E.,	500 00
United Cigar Store,	1,600 00
Vermouth, Neil,	800 00
Vogue, Inc.,	2,550 00
Ward, Newton R.,	500 00
Western Auto Associate Store,	2,500 00
Whitcomb, Arthur,	1,000 00
White Bros.,	1,500 00
Wilbur's Market,	700 00
Wilcox Battery Service,	1,800 00
Woods, Donald E.,	1,200 00
Woods, Frank,	4,500 00
Woolworth, F. W. & Co.,	15,000 00
Wright Bros.,	3,725 00
Wright, J. A. & Co.,	5,000 00
Zimmerman, John J., Garage,	4,000 00

ABATEMENTS—DEC. 1, 1938 TO NOV. 30, 1939—1939 PROPERTY TAXES

Sibley Oil Co., double tax,	$11 08
Fairfield's Garage, over assessed,	36 01
Boudrieau, W. N., double tax,	11 08

Sullivan, James E. and Marion, double tax,	7 62
Barden, Harold S., over assessed,	19 39
Wilber's Public Market, over assessed,	6 93
Wright, Clarence A., over assessed,	27 70
Martell, A. E. & Co., error,	62 13
Rival Foods, Inc., over assessed,	13 85
Harper, Daniel J., garage gone,	4 15
Fuller's Food Shop, no doughnut machine,	5 54
Abbott Grocery Co., over assessed,	554 00
Haywood, Mary I., over assessed,	12 47
O'Brien, Ann L., over assessed,	13 85
Woodward, Mary J., hurricane damage,	13 85
Gregory, N. W., veteran,	27 70
Carroll, William H., over assessed,	2 08
Parker, Walter, over assessed,	8 31
Forbes, Frank B., over assessed,	5 54
Nims, Lawrence D., over assessed,	18 00
Conant, C. Tyler, over assessed,	21 47
Ballou, Guy, down timber,	11 08
Perry, Mabel, down timber,	11 08
Wilder, Jedd, no barn,	13 85
Witham, R. A., down timber,	9 48
N. E. Woodenware Corp., over assessed,	86 56
Platts Box Co., hurricane damage,	193 90
Clark, Ralph H., hurricane damage,	4 29
	$1,212 99

1939 POLL TAXES

King, Mattie L., over 70,	$2 00
Gailleditz, Jeanette, not 21,	2 00
Gailleditz, Alfred, not 21,	2 00
Brown, Sumner, paid in Swanzey,	2 00
Brown, Barbara, paid in Swanzey,	2 00
Peel, William, Veteran,	2 00
Court, Eli, Veteran,	2 00
Willette, Elizabeth, not 21,	2 00
DesRoches, Roland, duplicate tax,	2 00
Corkery, John, Veteran,	2 00
McCabe, Elizabeth, over 70,	2 00
Sargent, Lester, Veteran,	2 00
Rockwell, Cecil E., duplicate tax,	2 00
Whidden, Bert, duplicate tax,	2 00
Whidden, Hazel, duplicate tax,	2 00
Pappas, George, duplicate tax,	2 00
Trombley, Iva, non resident,	2 00
Wirein, Raino, cripple,	2 00
Wilson, William F., over 70,	2 00
Guinane, Michael, over 70,	2 00
Osgood, C. C., paid in Nelson,	2 00
Dube, Florence, not taxable,	2 00
Smith, Hattie E., over 70,	2 00
Hamilton, Marvin, non-resident,	2 00
Hamilton, Hazel, non-resident,	2 00
Jarvis, Josephine, duplicate tax,	2 00
Sumner, Margaret, over 70,	2 00
Wood, Natalie, paid in Concord,	2 00
Martin, Donald, non-resident,	2 00
Leroux, Mrs. D. W., not taxable,	2 00
Mosher, Uriah, paid in Gilsum,	2 00
Mosher, Mrs. Uriah, paid in Gilsum,	2 00
Hyatt, John, Veteran,	2 00
Seitzinger, Joseph, duplicate tax,	2 00
	$68 00

1938 PROPERTY TAXES

Fox, Morris, over assessed,	$14 45
Proulx, Earl W., over assessed,	14 45
Hollywood Dress Shop, out of business,	5 78
Jefts, Walter M. Est., no property,	3 76
Seaver, Saxon, over assessed,	8 67
	$47 11

1938 POLL TAXES

Stone, Mrs. Gerald, not 21,	$2 00
Blake, Grace, not 21,	2 00
Bergeron, Peter E., over 70,	2 00
Castor, Emily, not 21,	2 00
Corrette, Harry J.,	2 00
Cummings, Fred J., over 70,	2 00
Goodrich, Robert, duplicate tax,	2 00
Provencher, Don, error,	2 00
Buckley, Eleanor, not 21,	2 00
Latchis, George, not 21,	2 00
Allen, Effie, poverty,	2 00
Dixon, Leonard A., left town,	2 00
Dixon, Mrs. Leonard A., left town,	2 00
Colby, Lewis A., paid in Concord,	2 00
Payne, George E., Veteran,	2 00
Rudolph, W. B., non-resident,	2 00
Fletcher, Mrs. Richard, not 21,	2 00
Flanders, Wallace, paid in Swanzey,	2 00
Keyser, Marjorie, error,	2 00
Mitchell, John D, duplicate tax,	2 00
Kazanas, Sophie, poverty,	2 00
Lancey, Mrs. Charles, not 21,	2 00
Phelps, George, over 70,	2 00
Conwell, Edward, paid in Swanzey,	2 00
Conwell, Bertha, paid in Swanzey,	2 00
Rousseau, Bernadette, insane,	2 00
Brown, Sumner, paid in Swanzey,	2 00
Brown, Mrs. Sumner, paid in Swanzey,	2 00
Mosher, Uriah, paid in Gilsum,	2 00
Mosher, Mrs. Uriah, paid in Gilsum,	2 00
Corkery, John, Veteran,	2 00
DesRoches, Roland, paid in Walpole,	2 00
Sargent, Lester, Veteran,	2 00
Ellis, Freeman, paid in Roxbury,	2 00
Trombley, Iva, non-resident,	2 00
Nielson, Helen, duplicate tax,	2 00
Burbee, Thomas, dead,	2 00
Estey, Earl, paid in Claremont,	2 00
Osgood, C. C., paid in Nelson,	2 00
Smith, Hattie E., over 70,	2 00
Meeks, F. W., duplicate tax,	2 00
Keyser, Theodore, error,	2 00
	$84 00

1937 POLL TAXES

Barden, Wilhelmina, not 21,	$2 00
Rudolph, W. B., non-resident,	2 00
Osgood, C. C., paid in Nelson,	2 00
Lower, Virginia, not 21,	2 00
Estey, Earl, paid in Claremont,	2 00
Smith, Hattie, over 70,	2 00
	$12 00

CHARLES K. WHITCOMB,
JOHN H. SMITH,
J. HAMILTON FISH,
Assessors, City of Keene.

REPORT OF CITY CLERK

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—The undersigned desires to report his collections from December 1, 1938 to December 1, 1939, as follows:

Received rent of land rear of city hall,	$100 00
Dog license fees,	1,526 37
House numbers,	40
Miscellaneous license fees,	546 00
Billiard, pool and alley licenses,	210 00
Taxicab and truck licenses,	45 00
Logs,	59 91
Telephone tolls, ordinary,	11 80
Telephone tolls, cemetery,	3 35
History of Keene and vital records,	4 25
Distributive share, Fuller Bartlett educational fund,	704 93
Cemetery funds for investment,	3,550 00
Error on voucher 4655,	50
Error on voucher 453,	5 00
Error on voucher 5281,	5 00
Huntley, discount on bill,	10
	$6,772 61
Deposited in city treasury,	$6,772 61

Respectfully,

FRANK H. WHITCOMB,
City Clerk.

Keene, Dec. 1, 1939.

REPORT OF CITY MESSENGER

Keene, N. H., Dec. 1, 1939.

To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:

I hereby submit my annual report as City Messenger and janitor of City Hall.

All money received from rentals of City Hall has been deposited with the City Treasurer and vouchers returned to the City Clerk.

The monthly collections were as follows:

December, 1938,	$47 05
January, 1939,	101 05
February, 1939,	1 35
March, 1939,	92 55
April, 1939,	65 95
May, 1939,	89 70
June, 1939,	34 35
July, 1939,	4 45
August, 1939,	3 20
September, 1939,	3 80
October, 1939,	1 80
November, 1939,	2 75
Total,	$448 00

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM B. STICKELS,
City Messenger.

REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONER

To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:—

The work of the Park department during the past year has, of necessity, largely been an effort to clear up hurricane damage in the hard hit park areas with the least possible expense to the city. As there was an added appropriation of only $1,500 for this work it was necessary to depend to a great extent upon W. P. A. labor and, owing to various federal projects which took precedence, the number of available men was disappointing, dwindling much of the time from the expected 50 to 8 or 10. It was also impossible to use this labor in the parks while other lumbering operations were in progress with a consequent delay in starting work.

The first project was in clearing the areas around the Robin Hood Swimming Pool and Field, which was made ready for the largest season in its history, although several hundred stumps still remain to be burned or carted away. As is well known, the thousands of beautiful pines at Wheelock Park were practically all destroyed and most of the years clearing has been done here. The entrance arch was badly broken and the building twisted and crushed with much of the roof gone; these have been repaired and the entrance approach graded, curbed and seeded, with a border planting of Iris as a start toward restoring the beauty of the park. Up to this time approximately 6,500 stumps have been pulled up, carted away and the ground cleared and leveled but probably an equal area still remains to be cleared, a considerable part of which it is hoped can be done this winter.

The state generously cleared strips 50 feet wide on each side of the road through the Dinsmoor and Faulkner and Colony woods, where all the trees were destroyed and work is now being continued here by the park department. In the Ladies Park, though not under the supervision of the commissioner, work has been undertaken at the suggestion of the committee, and the area at the junction of Park Avenue and Arch Street has been graded, loamed and seeded and a field stone curb and border of 1,200 Iris bulbs, kindly donated by Keene Teachers College placed along the streets. With all possible down timbebr sold, the work of clearing the remaining debris is now being done, and much slash awaits the coming of snow to be burned.

Supervision of playgrounds was this year given to the Park department and, because of the destruction of Wheelock Park, a new playground was established at Fuller Park; much of the apparatus at Wheelock Park was badly damaged by falling trees but this was repaired and moved to Fuller and Robin Hood Parks at a cost of about $200. A shelter with water and toilet facilities was built at Fuller Park at an expense of $550 and the playground operated with three supervisors at a cost of $350. The daily attendance ran from 75 to 90 and it is felt that it was such a success that it should be continued. A larger playground, with more supervisors and added facilities, was also operated at Robin Hood Park with a greatly increased attendance and the closing "cir - cuses" at each of the playgrounds brought out larger participation and attendance of parents and citizens than ever before.

Robin Hood Pool was, as usual, the most popular recreation spot and all attendance records were broken with over 400 present on many days. Again under the efficient supervision of Mr. Newell Paire and an able corps of life savers, the pool was open every day and evening throughout the summer and for the sixth consecutive season without a serious accident. The boats at the pool were so badly damaged in rescue service during the flood that it was necessary to buy four new ones, which were in constant use during the season.

It is planned to keep the southern part of Robin Hood Pool cleared for skating during the winter; a portion of the bath house has been refloored and stoves put in for heating for the convenience of skaters and it is hoped to have an attendant present afternoons and evenings and also to have the area floodlighted.

Approximately $2,600 was received by the special committee from the sale of fallen pine and spruce in the parks and this has been allotted to the various areas in the hope that it may be used in replanting and restoring the parks as

a contribution to principal rather than income. None of this money has been used as yet as it has been recommended that no replanting should be done for at least a year following the destruction.

It is recommended that clearing be continued during the winter and that work on a long term program, following a carefully developed plan, be started next year.

An approximate division of the years expenditures in the various areas accompanies this report.

Respectfully submitted,

R. T. KINGSBURY,
Park Commissioner.

Wheelock Park,		
Winter transportation, W. P. A.,	$112 00	
Repairs to entrance arch,	75 00	
Repairs to playground equipment,	44 00	
Repairs to building, (incomplete),	230 00	
Steam shovel on stumps,	225 00	
Pulling 6,381 stumps and clearing,	1,553 00	
Robin Hood Park,		
Pulling stumps and clearing,	250 00	
Repairs and maintenance,	218 00	
Robin Hood Pool,		
Four new boats,	100 00	
Operation, supplies and maintenance,	1,105 00	
Fuller Park,		
Repairs and moving playground equipment,	172 00	
Care of grounds,	417 00	
Ashuelot Park, now Hickey-Desilets Park,		
Care of grounds,	199 00	
Miscellaneous,		
Coasting and skating expense and care of ball grounds at Teachers College for Sunset League, etc.,	528 00	
		$5,228 00

PLAYGROUNDS

Robin Hood Playground,		
Operation and supplies,	287 00	
Fuller Playground,		
Building,	553 00	
Operation and supplies,	346 00	
		$1,186 00

Overdrawn amount transferred to Parks.

LADIES PARK

Cobblestone curb, grading, loam, seeding and planting 1,200 iris, $463 00

REPORT OF CITY PHYSICIAN

To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Councils:

I beg to report that the year just ended, has been entirely uneventful as regards the health of the City. All Medical calls have been attended to promptly.

I wish to express my appreciation to Mr. Paul Hayward for his co-operation, and to Miss Savage and the members of the Keene Visiting Nurses for their very helpful assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. TAYLOR, M. D.

December 1, 1939.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:

We hereby submit the annual report of the Board of Health, together with the report of the Health Officer for the year ending November 30th, 1939.

FINANCIAL

Balance on hand December 1st, 1938,	$510 19	
Appropriation for 1939,	3,000 00	
Deposits, 1939,	174 43	
		$3,684 62

DETAIL OF DISBURSEMENTS

Salary, Health Officer,	$2,400 00	
Laboratory, equipment,	46 34	
Chemicals,	20 33	
Stationery and office supplies,	21 25	
Range oil,	41 46	
Telephone,	47 06	
Electricity,	12 28	
Express,	7 81	
Postage,	3 00	
Medical services and medicine,	345 48	
Insurance (office furniture),	6 25	
Quarantine expenses		
Groceries,	56 09	
Fumigation,	25 12	
Hospitalization (County Hospital),	61 43	
Printing,	22 70	
Trucking,	2 00	
Plumbing,	3 59	
Window washing,	3 00	
Burying dead animals,	6 00	
Signs,	2 29	
		$3,133 48
		$551 14
Balance to new account December 1st, 1939,		$551 14

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER F. TAYLOR, M. D., Chairman,
JOHN H. SIMPSON, Secretary,
ERNEST L. BELL, JR.

REPORT OF THE HEALTH OFFICER

To the Members of the Board of Health, Keene, N. H.:

I hereby submit a report of my work for the year ending November 30th, 1939.

Inspections of stores, restaurants, bakeries, barber shops and dairies have been conducted throughout the year. There were more complaints on various health matters than in past years and more cases were investigated and unsanitary conditions remedied.

In order to cooperate in the campaign against venereal diseases put on by the U. S. Public Health Service and the State Board of Health, special effort has been made in the past year to get all known cases of venereal disease under treatment. Consequently somewhat more money has been spent for physicians and medicine this year than in past years.

Following is a summary of the work done during the past year.

Inspections:—	
Bakeries,	8
Barber shops,	82
Bottling works,	8
Children's homes (for State Dept. Public Welfare, Foster Homes),	7
Circus and carnival concessions where food is sold,	6
Dairies,	233
Ice cream plants,	5
Restaurants, lunch carts and hotel kitchens,	152
Stores where food and/or milk is sold,	196
Tourists homes and cabins,	30
Cases investigated,	465
Nuisances abated,	249
Dead animals disposed of, from public highways,—	
Dogs 17 Cats 11 Skunks	5
Health Talks given,	18
Milk licenses issued for 1939-40	
Stores,	53
Dealers and producers,	124
Samples collected for State Laboratory of Hygiene, Concord, N. H.	
Milk for various tests,	19
Ice cream,	18
Water, Municipal Swimming Pool,	5
Water, private wells and springs,	36
Bacteria samples from restaurant dishes,	50
Flour, tomato juice, stool samples,	31
Tests, Keene Health Department Laboratory	
Milk samples, local producers,	341
Sewage and sludge tests,	104
Other tests,	41

There have been reported during the year December 1st, 1938 to November 30th, 1939 the following number of cases of contagious diseases.

Chicken pox,	14
German Measles,	1
Gonorrhea,	31
Measles,	3
Mumps,	1
Scarlet fever,	7
Syphilis,	6
Tuberculosis,	3
Whooping cough,	39

Respectfully submitted,

EVAN C. WHITE,
Health Officer.

REPORT OF CITY ENGINEER AND BUILDING INSPECTOR

To His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:—

My report is herewith submitted for the year 1939.

The usual routine engineering work has been done for the several city departments and repair of hurricane damage has been continued this year.

Lines and grades have been given on many streets for city work and also for the benefit of others who were building or repairing houses.

Plans have been drawn and estimates made for constructing concrete sidewalks, buildings, and other city projects.

More than the usual amount of municipal building, and repairs to city buildings has been done this year, including a new roof on part of city hall and repairs in the basement. The fire station has received general repairs on both the exterior and interior. A new band stand was erected in Fuller park.

Considerable time and information has been given the State and Federal Government engineers on flood control and other surveys.

The departmet of Labor also requires monthly reports on the progress of building construction and the Bureau of Labor statistics has been active in compiling building data of previous years.

Additional lots have been laid out in Greenlawn and Woodland cemeteries.

There has been more building work this year than for several years past and among the buildings completed or under construction may be mentioned the extensive additions to the high school, an addition to the Elliott Community Hospital and the reconstruction of the Whipple block, also the modernized Ball block and a new Public Service of N. H. building. A new grade school building on Wood street, and a broadcasting studio on Dunbar street connected with the broadcasting station being built in West Keene.

The following building permits were issued this year with an approximate cost of $472,000 for construction.

Single houses,	22
Single houses into double houses,	8
Duplex house,	1
Houses, alterations, repairs,	81
Office buildings remodeled,	2
Stores and shops,	2
Stores and shops, alterations, repairs,	14
Filling Stations,	2
Garages, 1 car,	16
Garages, 2 car,	16
Garages, additions, repairs,	5
Amusement hall,	1
Barns and additions,	8
Cabins and camps,	9
Office building,	1
Hospital, addition,	1
Church, repairs,	1
Broadcasting Station,	1
Broadcasting studio building,	1
High school addition,	1
Grade school,	1
Pasteurizing plants, alterations,	2
Sheds, poultryhouses, etc.,	17
Buildings moved,	5
Buildings demolished,	4
Total,	222
New house numbers assigned this year,	19

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH H. CLARK,

City Engineer and Building Inspector.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

To his Honor the Mayor and Members of the City Councils:

I hereby submit my report as Plumbing Inspector for the year ending December 1st, 1939. I have contacted all persons doing plumbing within the City of Keene and have found all parties conforming strictly to the rules required.

I have personally inspected and tested all new installations, additions and alterations made in the city.

Listed below is a record of work done during the year 1939.

Permits issued,	148
Water tests made,	82
Nature of plumbing installed,	
Plumbing installed in new buildings,	52
New work on old buildings,	47
Alterations and additions,	87
Fixtures installed,	
Closets,	131
Sinks,	111
Bowls,	92
Baths,	89
Wash trays,	6
Urinals,	3
Washing machines,	3
Bubblers,	5
Septic tanks,	7
Sterilizers,	1
Plumbing License Fees collected,	$10 00

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN H. FITZGERALD,
Inspector of Plumbing.

December 1st, 1939.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF KEENE PUBLIC LIBRARY

To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:

The Trustees of the Keene Public Library submit the following report for the year 1939.

A necessary improvement in the building was completed during the year. For sometime there had been inadequate space for much valuable reference material. To fill this need, the basement under the stack room has been renovated. The walls and floor were painted, old shelves rearranged and new ones added. This makes available to library patrons the magazine and newspaper files, and many useful books and gifts for which there was no place in the stack room.

In the purchase of new books, the reduced income of several of the book funds have greatly hindered the committee in fulfilling the demand.

The Trustees recognize and appreciate the continued loyalty and efficiency of Miss Saxton and the library staff. A detailed account of the work and activities at the library is given in the librarian's report.

RUTH P. HUNTRESS,
Secretary.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Keene Public Library:

The report for the year 1938-1939.

In reviewing the year, the one thing that stands out especially is the reconditioning of the lower stack and furnishing it with steel shelving suitable for newspapers and unbound mazagines.

The moving of periodicals, Federal and State documents from various parts of the library, the arranging of the Seward collection, and the less-used books which from time to time have been removed from the book room to make more room, the discarding of superseded or unnecessary material, all took much planning and time, and only those who have lived and worked under the former conditions, can truly appreciate the convenience and indeed the pleasure of merely going down a short flight of stairs to find a needed book or magazine on shelves well-ordered and marked.

This moving leaves us with a room on the second floor, sufficiently large to accommodate groups in the city which need a place for Board or Committee meetings, more accessible than our third floor Hall. I hope that you, The Trustees, will feel that it may be re-decorated and a new lighting system installed so that it can be used in the coming months. That would also give a place for the museum cases in the so-called Club room and thus provide more place for the Junior department. Seven different associations have used one or the other of these rooms fifty times during the year.

The extension work in the two schools where deposit libraries have been placed and the book service to the patients at the Hospital have again met with success and favor. It is possible that a similar plan should be started in another school the coming year. Vacation reading was interestingly planned for the summer and participated in by a large number of children. The library supplements the schools in helping to train intelligent citizens and we feel that the boys and girls are gaining much of value from these carefully prepared lists with their amusement. Book Week was observed with exhibits of new and old books and an entertainment by the Girl Scouts of Troop No. 1, in Parker Hall under the leadership of Miss Jane Dickinson. To all of them, we owe thanks. Eight story hours were given during the winter. The attendance was 503.

Early in November, there was an exhibition of drawings and paintings, by people in this vicinity, secured and placed by Miss Helena Putnam, which was enjoyed by 150 visitors aside from numbers of regular patrons who took time to examine them and express approval of the art interest of the young and older exhibitors.

Since last March when we began making a record of the number of people using the reading and reference rooms, the attendance has been 12,632—an average of about 50 a day. 804 new borrowers were registered during the year, which brings the total number of registered borrowers since September 1936 to 6,039 or 44% of the population. Of these, 33 are non-residents. At the beginning of the year there were 31,224 volumes and at the close, 31,567. The circulation of books shows an increase of 2,306. The whole number lent for home use, was 94,868, of these 20,456 were from the Junior department. In inter-library loan service, 27 volumes have been borrowed from other libraries and 59 lent to other libraries. 107 phonograph records were sent to us from the State library for the use of our borrowers. The pamphlet and picture collections have been recently revised. The present files are of good working material.

The librarian and children's librarian have spoken on Books or the Library work to several groups and three members of the Staff have attended library meetings.

It is a pleasure to express gratitude to the Staff for willing cooperation in all undertakings also to Mr. Farrar, who supervised the moving, and to the Sentinel Printing Co. for many favors. It has been a privilege to work with you, as a Board, and I am glad to acknowledge special help from Mr. Palmer

and Mr. Kingsbury who had charge of the re-decorating and furnishing of the lower stack. Following is the cash account.

Respectfully submitted,
MARY LUCINA SAXTON, Librarian.

CASH ACCOUNT

Cash on hand Nov. 30, 1938,	$5 00	
Received from fines, etc.,	481 29	
		$486 29

EXPENDITURES

Deposited with City Treasurer, fines, etc.,	$411 76	
Express,	3 36	
Postals and stamps,	16 25	
Books and pamphlets,	8 96	
Laundry,	8 97	
Supplies,	7 64	
Sundries: minor repairs, decorations, Summer Reading Club, etc.,	23 35	
		$481 29
Cash on hand Nov. 28, 1939,		5 00
		$486 29

REPORT OF CITY SOLICITOR

To his honor the Mayor and Members of the City Councils:

Your City Solicitor reports activities for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1939 as follows:

At the beginning of the year the City of Keene was involved in the following suits:

Kingsbury Machine Tool Corporation vs. City of Keene.
Faulkner & Colony Manufacturing Company vs. City of Keene.
Golding Keene Company, et als vs. City of Keene.
Kate C. Dort vs. City of Keene.
Herman Claywood vs. City of Keene.
James E. Brady vs. City of Keene.

The suits of Kingsbury Machine & Tool Corporation, Faulkner & Colony Manufacturing Company and Golding Keene Company against the City of Keene were brought for the abatement of taxes. The petitioners have made no attempt to dispose of these cases and they are still pending.

The action of Kate C. Dort vs. City of Keene. The plaintiff alleged that certain acts of the City had caused water to flood the cellar of her house at 25 Elm Street, for which she sought to collect damages. At the February Term the plaintiff took a voluntary non suit, thereby disposing of this action.

The suit of Herman Claywood vs. the City of Keene, is an action to recover damages which the plaintiff alleges were caused to his property due to the failure of installing adequate drains under June Street when said street was constructed. No effort has been made by counsel for the plaintiff to have this case disposed of, and it is still pending.

The case of James E. Brady vs. City of Keene was an action in which Mr. Brady filed a petition in Superior Court to compel the City to permit the erection of a filling station at 186 Main Street. At the conclusion of the plaintiff's case the City's motion to dismiss was granted. To this order the plaintiff accepted and the case was transferred to the Supreme Court. In December 1938, the Supreme Court upheld the decision of the Superior Court and the petition was denied.

The following action brought by the City of Keene was pending at beginning of the year.

City of Keene vs. Ida Tatelman, et als.

This suit was brought several years ago in an effort to secure an injunction against the use of the premises on Winchester Street as an automobile graveyard. Several attempts have been made by your solicitor to dispose of this

matter, and at the February Term 1939 I requested that the defendants be ruled in contempt for failing to clean up the premises as previously ordered by the court. This request was denied on the ground that the defendants were not residents of this State and therefor the Court had no jurisdiction. During the past year large quantities of junk have been removed and the general appearance of the premises has been greatly improved.

The following action was brought during the present year against the City of Keene.

John Elliot, Attorney vs. City of Keene.

The action of John Elliot, Attorney vs. the City of Keene was brought for the abatement of taxes. No effort has been made by counsel for the petitioner to dispose of this case and it is still pending.

All criminal cases falling within the jurisdiction of the City Solicitor were prosecuted in the Municipal Court. The City Solicitor has also advised the officers of the City and members as to the law in various matters, and has drawn all the necessary deeds, agreements and other instruments requested.

Respectfully submitted,
WALKER S. KIMBALL,
City Solicitor.

December 1, 1939.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES

To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:

I submit the report of the Cemetery department for the year ending November 30, 1939.

We have had during the year 125 adult and 7 infant burials.

It was necessary to leave much of the Hurricane work until this year, at which time there were many lots to be regraded and stones reset.

During the year of 1938 the land was so wet we were unable to draw out any loam, but this year we have drawn out many loads which will be available for filling depressions and regrading lots.

We have this year bought filling to cover a plot in Woodland Extension and we hope to cover the same with loam the coming season so as to provide room for about 50 new lots.

We have sold 24 lots at $100.00 each, 1 at $80.00, 1 at $60.00, 3 at $50.00, 2 at $40.00, 1 at $25.00 and 4 at $20.00.

At the present time we are caring for 215 lots annual care and 623 lots perpetual care.

The collections for the year have been $4,717.00.

Bills receivable $950.00.

Respectfully submitted,
F. C. POTTER,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF WELFARE DEPARTMENT

To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:

I hereby submit the report of the Welfare Department for the year ending December 1st, 1939.

During the past year the City has had to bear the entire burden of direct relief as no State or Federal Aid was available. The cost of maintaining families and single persons on direct relief has shown a sharp decrease, while the cost of old age assistance has shown an even sharper increase.

The cost of old age assistance is divided between the Federal Government, the State of New Hampshire and the City of Keene, the Federal Government paying 50%, the State of New Hampshire 25% and the City of Keene 25%.

The number of direct relief cases dropped from 112 in December 1938 to 54 in December 1939. Old age assistance cases increased from 58 to 89 cases during the same period. Beginning January 1st, 1940 the eligibility age limit for old age assistance cases is reduced from seventy years to sixty-five years. It is estimated that this change is the age limit will increase the cost of old age assistance at least 50%.

The total expendtuires of the Welfare Department for 1939 show a decrease of $11,373.34 compared with the expenditures of 1938.

A complete record of each case handled by this department is on file in the office of the overseer of the poor.

Listed below is record of all appropriations, refunds and expenditures for the year ending December 1st, 1939.

Balance on hand December 1st, 1938,	$883 24	
Appropriation,	30,000 00	
Additional appropriation,	5,000 00	
Deposited by Overseer of Poor,	586 25	
		$36,469 49

EXPENDITURES

December, 1938,	$2,266 45	
January, 1939,	2,652 06	
February, 1939,	2,720 65	
March, 1939,	2,778 60	
April, 1939,	2,978 58	
May, 1939,	2,480 29	
June, 1939,	2,648 90	
July, 1939,	2,176 75	
August, 1939,	3,047 64	
September, 1939,	2,572 98	
October, 1939,	2,235 57	
November, 1939,	2,128 52	
		$30,686 99
Balance on hand December 1st, 1939,		$5,782 50

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL B. HAYWARD,
Overseer of the Poor.

December 1st, 1939.

REPORT OF CLERK OF UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

Keene, N. H., April 8, 1939.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

I, Walter M. Hubbard, Clerk of the Union School District, hereby certify that at the Annual Meeting of said District, held on the thirtieth day of March, 1939, it was voted to raise and appropriate for the current year the following said sums:

For support of schools,	$202,305 00
Truant officer and school census,	600 00
Superintendents excess salary,	2,200 00
$2 per capita tax for supervision,	5,172 00
Payment of principal of debt,	10,000 00
Payment of interest on debt,	3,057 50
Other obligations,	8,450 00
Total,	$233,854 50
Deduction for estimated income of district from sources other than current taxation,	14,700 00
Amount to be raised by taxation,	$219,154 50

I also certify that Alpheus B. White, Marquis O. Spaulding and Karl R. Beedle were elected members of the Board of Education for the term of three years and that Ernest E. Newcombe was elected a member of the Board for the term of two years.

WALTER M. HUBBARD,
Clerk.

Placed on file, April 20, 1939.

REPORT OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

To His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

The Board of Police Commissioners respectfully submit the following report for the quarter ending February 28, 1939.

Number of arrests: Males, 238; Females, 7; Total, 245.

For the following offenses:

	Number
Assault,	2
Assault upon officer,	1
Attempting rape,	2
Auto speeding,	14
Bigamy,	1
Drunkenness,	123
Defraud,	3
Escaped prisoners,	1
Forgery,	1
Begging,	1
Fornication,	1
Mittimus,	1
Fugitives from justice,	2
Gambling,	1
Brawl and Tumult,	1
Larceny,	14
Non support,	4
Safe keeping,	21
Violating liquor law,	11
Violating auto law,	29
Reckless Driving,	3
Driving drunk,	6
Threatening,	1
Violation of Medical Laws,	1
Arrested for out-of-town officers,	6
Number of persons given lodgings,	606
Lights left burning by mistake,	128
Lights not burning,	32
Electric lights out,	4
Value of goods left out after hours,	$200 00
Lost and stolen property recovered, value,	$1,800 00
Doors found unlocked and opened,	212
Received by Chief of Police and deposited with city treasury,	$610 00

Remarks: Arrests by Sheriffs, 14; State Police, 58; Constables, 6; Motor Vehicle Department, 2.

For the Board of Police Commissioners,

W. E. HETHERMAN,
Clerk.

Keene, N. H., April 3, 1939.

REPORT OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

To His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

The Board of Police Commissioners respectfully submit the following report for the quarter ending May 31st, 1939.

Number of arrests: Males, 366; Females, 8; Total, 374.

For the following offenses:

	Number
Abandonment,	1
Adultery,	2
Assault,	7
Rape,	1
Auto speeding,	23
Capias,	1
Bastardy,	2
Begging,	3
Breaking and entering,	1
Disturbing the peace,	5
Drunkenness,	225
Defraud,	4
Embezzlement,	1
Escaped prisoner,	1
Fornication,	1
Fish and Game Law,	1
Destroying Property,	2
Failed to stop for officer,	1
Fugitives from justice,	2
Threatening,	2
Larceny,	7
Non support,	3
Vagrancy,	2
Safe keeping,	13
Violating liquor law,	2
Violating auto law,	34
Reckless Driving,	3
Driving drunk,	15
Hit and Run Driver,	2
Reckless Driving resulting in Death,	1
Failed to send child to school,	1
Violation Public Service Commission,	2
Suspicion,	1
Intent to defraud,	2
Arrested for out-of-town officers,	5
Number of persons given lodgings,	691
Lights left burning by mistake,	177
Lights not burning,	49
Electric lights out,	14
Value of goods left out after hours,	$175 00
Lost and stolen property recovered,	$1,900 00
Doors found unlocked and opened,	249
Received by Chief of Police and deposited with city treasury,	$134 50

Remarks: Arrested by State Police, 25; Sheriffs, 18; Constables, 8; Motor Vehicle Department, 2.

For the Board of Police Commissioners,

W. E. HETHERMAN,
Clerk.

REPORT OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

To His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

The Board of Police Commissioners respectfully submit the following report for the quarter ending August 31, 1939.

Number of arrests: Males, 371; Females, 18; Total, 389.

For the following offenses:

	Number
Begging,	2
Assault,	7
Auto speeding,	91
Breaking and entering and Larceny,	1
Drunkenness,	158
Defraud,	1
Embezzlement,	1
Threatening,	1
Violation of stop signs,	9
Fugitives from justice,	1
Gambling,	1
Brawl and Tumult,	1
Larceny,	4
Non support,	1
Obstructing officers,	1
Safe keeping,	30
Resisting officers,	1
Violating liquor law,	2
Violating auto law,	56
Reckless Driving,	8
Driving drunk,	8
Hit and Run Driver,	4
Arrested for out-of-town officers,	4
Number of persons given lodgings,	271
Lights left burning by mistake,	164
Lights not burning,	88
Electric lights out,	17
Value of goods left out after hours,	$150 00
Lost and stolen property recovered,	$2,000 00
Doors found unlocked and opened,	218
Received by Chief of Police and deposited with city treasury,	$762 29

Remarks: Arrests by State Police, 90; Sheriffs, 12; Constables, 12; Motor Vehicle Department, 1.

For the Board of Police Commissioners,

W. E. HETHERMAN,
Clerk.

REPORT OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

To His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

The Board of Police Commissioners respectfully submit the following report for the quarter ending November 30, 1939.

Number of arrests: Males, 313; Females, 7; Total, 320.

For the following offenses:

	Number
Adultery,	1
Assault,	3
Auto speeding,	48
Begging,	1
Bastardy,	2
Drunkenness,	142
Defraud,	5
Drinking in Public Places,	2
Mittimus,	1
Fugitives from justice,	5
Gambling Place,	6
Brawl and Tumult,	3
Desertion,	1
Larceny,	16
Non support,	2
Vagrancy,	2
Safe keeping,	15
Violation auto law,	35
Reckless Driving,	7
Driving Drunk,	12
Hit and Run Driver,	3
Reckless Driving resulting in Death,	1
Violation Public Service Act,	7
Arrested for out-of-town officers,	5
Number of persons given lodgings,	425
Lights left burning by mistake,	178
Lights not burning,	84
Electric lights out,	15
Value of goods left out after hours,	$150 00
Lost and stolen property recovered, value,	$2,000 00
Fire alarm boxes pulled by officers,	1
Doors found unlocked and opened,	257
Received by Chief of Police and deposited with city treasury,	$753 10

Remarks: Arrested by State Police, 75; Sheriffs, 18; Constables, 15; Motor Vehicle Department, 2.

For the Board of Police Commissioners,

W. E. HETHERMAN,
Clerk.

Keene, N. H., December 15, 1939.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To His Honor the Mayor, and Board of Aldermen:

I hereby submit my report for the year ending November 30, 1939.

There were 24 Bell alarms, 380 Still alarms, making a total of 404 alarms. 38 of these calls were out of town.

The estimated value of buildings damaged by fire,	$389,900 00
Damage to buildings,	12,154 67
Insurance on said buildings,	305,650 00
Insurance paid,	12,154 67
Value of contents of buildings,	359,750 00
Damage to contents,	6,128 82
Insurance on said contents,	334,550 00
Insurance paid,	6,128 82

The number of alarms the department has answered for the year is 27 more than that of last year.

The fire loss for the year will be larger than last year, as there has been a number of fires that resulted in quite a loss, and some from sprinkler systems.

The inspection of buildings which is carried out monthly, continues to show very good results, as there is a better understanding between the business men, merchants, and the fire department.

The motor fire apparatus and its equipment is in very good condition. The pumping engines have been tested for their pumping capacities and all of them showed a good reserve over capacity.

Engine No. 2 will need to have the leather cups or packings and also the valves changed the coming year as ten years is very fair service for them.

The department has purchased a forest fire pump, with all the necessary equipment, two lengths of 1½″ suction with strainer, one Wye with gate valves, one relief valve, and two nozzles with three sizes of tips, also 1,000 feet of 1½″ single jacket rubber lined hose. This makes 2,500 feet for forest fire use, and the forestry department has 2,500 feet here also with a portable pump. This gives very good protection from forest fires, also there is a C. C. C. Camp in West Swanzey of 200 young men, which we can call in a case of a large forest fire.

The department has also purchased a cellar pump with a capacity of 250 gallons a minute or 15,000 gallons per hour.

There will have to be purchased new tires for the City Service Ladder Truck and the Emergency truck, as these tires are six years old.

The department has on hand 10,750 feet of 2½″ double jacket rubber lined hose and 2,900 feet of 1½″ single jacket rubber lined hose, and 1,200 feet of linen unlined hose at South Keene in hose house.

There has been 200 feet of unserviceable hose turned over to the Public Works Department.

The fire alarm, its circuits and equipment are in very good condition. There has been installed a new seven pair cable from fire alarm room to the pole outside, this is a lead covered cable. The fire alarm boxes have been painted during the year.

The two new alarm boxes purchased this year for replacement, are Box 46 Court Street Corner of School, and 115 Church Street corner Valley. There will be some changing over on No. 1 circuit on Marlboro Street from Eastern Avenue to South Keene, as the Telephone Co. have changed their lines over on new poles, and will take down the old ones, which the alarm circuits are now on.

Fire Headquarters is now in very fine condition, as the Land and Building Committee have painted the Station inside and out, and have repaired the roof which had been leaking, also remodeled the Shower Bath and tiled the same.

The Board of Engineers recommend the purchase of 1,000 feet of fire hose, two fire alarm boxes for replacement, also tires for the City Service Ladder Truck, and Emergency Truck, also repacking the pumps and renewing the valves on Engine No. 2.

To His Honor the Mayor, Members of the City Government, Joint Standing Committee on Fire Department, Land and Buildings Committee, Officers and members of Fire Department, and to the Police Department, I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation for the good support and co-operation rendered to me during the year.

Respectfully submitted,
EUGENE B. RILEY,
Chief Fire Department.

PERSONNEL OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

BOARD OF ENGINEERS

Eugene B. Riley, Chief
John H. Simpson, 1st Assistant and Clerk
Elwin H. Applin, 2nd Assistant

CAPTAINS

John A. Dennison ..... Steamer Hose Company
Lewis H. Dean ..... Deluge Hose Company
Thomas B. Wallbank ..... Hook and Ladder Company

PERMANENT DRIVERS

Lyman O. Cass ..... Ladder Truck
Fred S. Morse ..... Engine No. 1
Frank M. Reid ..... Engine No. 2
Samuel J. Guyette ..... Engine No. 3
Charles M. Ballou ..... Combination No. 2
Elton P. Britton ..... Emergency Truck

STEAMER HOSE COMPANY

Lieut. H. W. Mason	Lieut. G. C. Raymond	Clerk, C. F. Russell
F. J. Bennett	R. E. Bridge	G. C. Erwin
B. G. Harvey	R. H. Turner	J. M. Sewell
F. J. Thomas	E. W. Little	C. E. Witham
F. F. Stearns	A. I. Little	

DELUGE HOSE COMPANY

Lieut. A. D. Irwin	Lieut. T. E. Roache	Clerk, P. E. Symonds
W. C. Howes	G. H. Fish	C. S. Dean
E. R. Damon	J. J. Keating	F. R. Donovan
S. W. Pollock	W. R. Messer	George Sheppard
E. T. Keating	C. P. Woods	

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY

Lieut. W. B. Stickels	Lieut. E. L. Reason	Clerk, C. H. Symonds
E. J. Auger	M. I. Pishon	S. F. Thompson
A. D. Mason	G. C. Symonds	L. M. Pickett
C. E. Symonds	F. W. Streeter	F. E. Winn
W. T. Winn	F. J Driscoll	

APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT

ENGINE NO. 1

A 750 gallon Triple Combination, with a 60 gallon booster tank, and all other necessary equipment

ENGINE NO. 2

A 750 gallon Triple Combination, with an 80 gallon booster tank, and all other necessary equipment.

ENGINE NO. 3

A 600 gallon Triple Combination, with a 100 gallon booster tank, and all other necessary equipment.

CITY SERVICE LADDER TRUCK

239 feet of ladders, a 40 gallon Chemical tank, axes, bars, hooks, pike poles, plaster hooks, ropes, chains, cellar pipe, and a 1,100 gallon Eastman Gun.

RELIEF LADDER TRUCK

357 feet of ladders, trailer drawn.

EMERGENCY TRUCK

Flood lighting outfit, first aid supplies, Salvage covers, Inhalator, Gas masks, and 1,100 gallon Morse Gun.

COMBINATION NO. 2

For forest fires and still alarms, 2,500 feet of 1½″ hose, a 75 gallon booster pump, 136 gallon booster tank, and a 40 gallon portable pump.

CHIEF'S CAR

Oldsmobile Coupe.

CELLAR PUMP

Capacity 250 gallons per minute or 15,000 gallons per hour.

A FOAM GENERATOR

With 1,400 lbs. of foam powder.

RESERVE FOREST FIRE EQUIPMENT

One 35 gallon portable pump, with all necessary equipment, 2,500 feet of 1½″ hose, 17—2½ gallon extinguishers, 14—5 gallon and 5—4 gallon pump tanks, 67 shovels, 14 hoes, 30—14 quart water pails, and two tubs for relaying from pumps.

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH

Box 5	Main Street at Community Hospital. Private.
Box 6	Main Street cor. Emerald.
Box 7	Main Street cor. West.
Box 8	Main Street cor. Railroad.
Box 9	Central Square on City Hall.
Box 13	Railroad Street at Beaver Mills. Private.
Box 14	Water Street cor. Grove.
Box 15	Water Street cor. South Lincoln.
Box 16	Main Street cor. Marlboro.
Box 17	Main Street cor. Baker.
Box 18	Marlboro Street cor. Kelleher.
Box 19	Marlboro Street near No. 500.
Box 113	Railroad Street cor. 93rd.
Box 114	Water Street on Keene Woodenware. Private.
Box 115	Church Street cor. Valley.
Box 118	Marlboro Street cor. Martin.
Box 142	Willow Street.
Box 143	Myrtle Street at Kingsbury Mfg. Co. Private.
Box 174	Main Street at Edgewood.
Box 182	Congress Street opp. Keene Artistic Narrow Web.
Box 22	Vernon Street on Fire Station.
Box 23	Roxbury Street opp. Beech.
Box 24	Beaver Street cor. Dover.
Box 25	Washington Street near Giffin.
Box 26	Spring Street cor. Brook.
Box 27	Washington Street cor. Washington Ave.
Box 28	Beaver Street cor. North Lincoln.
Box 31	Washington Street opp. Pine.
Box 32	Elm Street cor. High.
Box 33	Washington Street cor. Cottage.
Box 35	Court Street opp. Prospect.
Box 36	Elm Street cor. North.
Box 37	Mechanic Street cor. Pleasant.
Box 41	Middle Street opp. Centre.
Box 42	West Street opp. School.
Box 43	West Street opp. Ashuelot.
Box 45	Castle Street cor. Barker.
Box 46	Court Street cor. School.
Box 47	Court Street cor. Allen Ct.

Box 49	Park Avenue opp. Arlington Ave.
Box 51	Winchester Street cor. Blake.
Box 52	Emerald Street cor. Ralston.
Box 53	Winchester Street opp. Winchester Ct.
Box 54	Island Street opp. New England Box Co.
Box 57	Pearl Street South of track.
Box 512	St. James Street opp. Holbrook Grocery Co.
Box 521	Emerald Street on Boston & Maine Office. Private.
Box 571	Avon Street at Sprague & Carleton Shop. Private.
Box 65	South Keene at Keene Chair Co.
Box 72	West Street cor. Park Ave.
Box 73	Park Avenue cor. Arch.

122 Brush fire.
12 Military call.
4 Legion call.
3 Fire out.
2 Still Alarm.

NO SCHOOL SIGNALS

Three blasts on Fire Alarm as follows: 7.05, no High School session; 8.05, no forenoon session; 11.05, one session. Grades above the first will remain in school until 1 o'clock. 12.30, no afternoon session. No school will also be indicated by turning on the street lights for a five-minute period, starting at the times stated above. This arrangement is made to eliminate possible uncertainties in the minds of pupils living in sections of the city where the whistle might not be heard.

STATEMENT OF FIRES WHICH OCCURRED IN THE CITY OF KEENE FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1938 to NOVEMBER 30, 1939.

Date	Class of Bldgs.	How occupied	Owner	Occupant	BUILDINGS				CONTENTS				Total or Partial Loss	Cause of Fire
					Value	Damage	Insurance	Insurance Paid	Value	Damage	Insurance	Insurance Paid		
1938														
Aug. 25	Brick	L Hall & Mer	John El'tt Est	St Geo Greek Lo					$2,500.00	$195.00	$1,500.00	$195.00	Partial	Unknown
Dec. 3	Wood	Dwelling	H P Whitco'b	Tenants	$6,000	$50.00	$5,000	$50.00					"	Chimney
" 20	"	"	L P Stone	"	3,000	51.00	3,000	51.00					"	Electric wiring
" 20	"	"	C C Sav Bank	"	1,000	83.75	800	83.75	400.00	21.50	300.00	21.50	"	Chimney
" 20	"	"	John DiLuzio	"	3,000	40.00	2,600	40.00					"	"
" 23	"	"	Mary F Dee	"	2,500	27.60	800	27.60					"	"
" 28	"	"	John Bolt	Same	5,500	20.00	4,000	20.00					"	"
1939														
Jan. 1	"	"	E D Savage	Tenants	5,000	53.00	3,800	53.00					"	"
" 12	"	"	C Robidoux	Same	3,000	30.00	2,500	30.00					"	"
" 26	"	"	M Driscoll	Tenants	5,000	50.00	5,000	50.00					"	"
" 27	"	"	H Gorges	Same	3,000	30.00	2,400	30.00					"	"
" 28	"	"	A W Drogue	"	3,500	17.88	2,850	17.88					"	"
Feb. 10	"	"	A Cummings	"	1,500	12.00	1,000	12.00					"	"
" 16	"	"	F & M Parker	"	3,000	23.50	2,500	23.50					"	Stove pipe
" 16	"	"	Mary DeLay	Tenants	3,000	15.15	3,000	15.15					"	Chimney
" 26	"	"	L Montarone	Same	3,500	22.50	2,800	22.50					"	"
Mar. 2	"	"	J Masiello	"	4,000	21.00	3,500	21.00					"	"
" 2	"	"	H E Sterling	"	2,000	434.50	2,000	434.50					"	"
" 17	"	"	E Trubiano	"	5,000	18.00	4,000	18.00					"	"
" 31	"	"	C C Sav Bank	Tenants	5,500	418.48	4,000	418.48					"	Rubbish
Apr. 6	"	"	H K Faulkner	Same	15,000	74.88	12,000	74.88					"	Chimney
" 13	"	"	John Hebert	"	3,000	205.08	2,500	205.08					"	Smoking on couch
" 24	"	"	A Brassard	"	5,500	30.34	5,000	30.34					"	Chimney
" 24	"	"	A Bonner	Vacant	4,500	1,912.44	4,500	1,912.44					"	Unknown
" 26	"	Inn	R C Ham	Tourists	3,000	67.70	2,000	67.70	7,000.00	35.00	500.00	35.00	"	Fat in oven of g s
May 2	Wood	Dwelling	Sadie Safford	Same & Tenants	5,000	756.40	4,500	756.40	2,000.00	70.50	1,500.00	70.40	"	Oil stove
" 3	Brick	"	R M Wright	Same	65,000	355.00	65,000	355.00	26,000.00	785.00	26,000.00	785.00	"	Bomb thrown th w
" 3	Brick	Store & garage	Bennett Block	Russell & Foster					3,000.00	18.00	5,400.00	18.00	"	Rubbish in bas ad
" 3	"	Mercantile	F J Bennett	Tenants	65,000	19.37	61,000	19.37					"	Rubbish
" 15	Wood	Dwell & Barn	M Blanchard	Same	2,500	2,274.00	2,300	2,274.00					Total	Unknown
" 19	"	Shop & lum yd	A E Fish & Co	"	2,400	100.00	100	100.00	7,500.00	1,008.13	7,500.00	1,008.13	Partial	Started fr blower
" 22	"	Dwelling	M V Damon	Tenants	5,500	102.00	3,000	102.00					"	Oil stove
" 27	"	"	J H Carter	Same	5,000	20.00	5,000	20.00					"	Chimney
June 13	Brick	"	J O Little	Tenants	3,000	50.00	2,500	50.00					"	Smoking in chair
" 27	Wood	"	Emma Cheney	"	3,000	97.91	3,000	91.91					"	Electric wiring
" 28	"	Barn	D Gorman Est	Same	200	5.00	200	5.00					"	Children pl w mat
July 6	Wood	Dwelling	Mrs Woodbu'y	Same & Tenants	5,000	2,251.94	5,000	2,251.94	3,500.00	867.98	2,500.00	867.98	"	Unknown
Aug. 24	"	"	W R Sargent	Same					350.00	25.00	350.00	25.00	"	Electric switch
Sept. 6	"	"	C C Chabott	C. J. Caruneran	3,000	102.65	3,000	102.65	2,500.00	99.25	2,000.00	99.25	"	Defective chimney
" 8	Brick	Furniture fac.		Keene Furn. Co.					95,000.00	410.40	95,000.00	410.40	"	Motor

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					Value	Damage	Insurance	Insurance Pd.	Value	Damage	Insurance	Insurance Paid		
" 27	Wood	Dwelling	M J Kilroy	Same	3,000	25.00	2,500	25.00					"	Chimney
Oct. 3	W & Br	Dwell & barn	M Papadinet'n	Same & Tenants	6,000	1,149.00	6,000	1,149.00					"	Unknown
" 7	" & "	Box shop	N E Box Co	Same	95,000	650.00	42,500	650.00					"	Dust collector
" 10	Wood	Dwelling	C E & M Davis	"	3,500	20.00	3,000	20.00					"	Chimney
" 13	"	"	C C Sav Bank	Tenants	3,500	24.60	2,000	24.60					"	"
" 14	"	"	M Quint	Same	4,500	30.00	3,700	30.00					"	"
" 19	"	"	R B Svec	Tenants	2,000	80.00	1,600	80.00					"	Unknown
Nov. 8	Cement	Chair shop	Sprague & Car	Same					210,000.00	2,593.06	192,000.00	2,593.06	"	Oily rags
" 14	Wood	Dwelling	J F Castaw Est	Same	3,500	15.00	3,500	15.00					"	Chimney
" 15	"	"	R F Mackey	Tenants	300	300.00	300	300.00					Total	Unknown
" 16	"	"	J P Red'g Est	Tenants	5,000	18.00	4,500	18.00					Partial	Chimney
				Total	$389,900	$12,154.67	$305,650	$12,154.67	$359,750.00	$6,128.82	$334,550.00	$6,128.82		

A true copy:

JOHN H. SIMPSON, Clerk.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To His Honor the Mayor and Members of City Government:

I hereby submit the following report of Weights and Measures inspected during year ending December 1, 1939.

Scales all	Correct	Adjusted	Condemned for Repairs	Confiscated	Total
Kinds and Sizes,	293	261	58	6	618
Scale Weights,	1,073		30	6	1,109
Kerosene Pumps,	29	24	8		61
Gasoline Pumps,	98	74	31		201
Grease Pumps,	102		15		117
Liquid Measures,	280		10		290
Oil Bottles,	456			19	475
Yard Sticks,	30			1	31
Measure Machines,	5				5
Wood Carts,	32				32
	2,398	359	152	32	2,939

	Total	Underwt.	Overwt.	Correct
Packages Re-weighed,	228	144	36	48

Packages inspected, not labeled correctly,	121
Berry baskets inspected and not properly filled,	47
Warnings issued,	108

The State requires an increasing amount of work from time to time and this could easily be made a full time job instead of part time as there is plenty of work to be done.

GEORGE E. FAIRBANKS,
City Sealer.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

I herewith submit my report for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1939.

COLLECTIONS

1939 Taxes

Amount of Tax Warrant,		$524,563 00	
Added Taxes,		35 00	
Interest,		107 40	
		$524,705 40	
Deduct:			
Discounts given,	$4,970 98		
Abatements,	1,280 99		
Uncollected,	151,833 43		
		158,085 40	
			$366,620 00

1938 Taxes

Uncollected, Dec. 1, 1938,	$151,938 60	
Interest,	6,971 67	
	$158,910 27	

Deduct:			
Abatements,	$131 11		
Discounts given,	2 40		
To Deeded Properties Account,	185 67		
Uncollected,	2,475 11		
		2,794 29	
			156,115 98
1937 Taxes			
Uncollected, Dec. 1, 1938,		$4,105 84	
Interest,		66 78	
		$4,172 62	
Deduct:			
Abatements,	$12 00		
Uncollected,	3,586 16		
		3,598 16	
			574 46
Taxes, 1936,			122 61
Taxes, 1935,			982 89
Taxes, 1934,			125 08
Taxes, 1933,			872 62
Taxes, 1932,			478 70
Taxes, 1931,			27 60
Taxes, 1930,			14 80
Taxes, 1929,			15 60
Taxes, 1928,			4 05
Tax Sale—1938 Taxes			
Sale, Sept. 28, 1939,		$20,133 80	
Interest and costs,		81 81	
		$20,215 61	
Unredeemed, Dec. 1, 1939,		16,389 98	
			3,825 63
Tax Sale—1937 Taxes			
Unredeemed, Dec. 1, 1938,		$19,356 61	
Interest and costs,		779 09	
		$20,135 70	
Deduct:			
To Deeded Properties Account,	$257 44		
Unredeemed, Dec. 1, 1939,	9,105 80		
		9,363 24	
			10,772 46
Tax Sale—1936 Taxes			
Unredeemed, Dec. 1, 1938,		$9,211 97	
Interest and costs,		1,514 94	
		$10,726 91	
Deduct:			
To Deeded Properties Account,	$409 83		
Unredeemed, Dec. 1, 1939,	2,086 14		
		2,495 97	
			$8,230 94
Auto Permits,			18,773 43
Water Assessments,			63,401 34

Cemetery Collections,	4,717 00
TOTAL COLLECTIONS, Dec. 1, 1938 to Nov. 30, 1939,	$635,679 19
Cash on hand, close of business, Nov. 30, 1938,	30,225 92
	$665,905 11

DEPOSITS

Taxes, 1939,	$345,806 18
Taxes, 1938,	186,152 76
Taxes, 1937,	663 54
Taxes, 1936,	133 52
Taxes, 1935,	1,018 54
Taxes, 1934,	125 08
Taxes, 1933,	872 62
Taxes, 1932,	478 70
Taxes, 1931,	27 60
Taxes, 1930,	14 80
Taxes, 1929,	15 60
Taxes, 1928,	4 05
Release, 1938,	3,825 63
Release, 1937,	10,757 46
Release, 1936,	8,230 94
Auto Permits,	18,773 96
Water Assessments,	63,329 31
Cemetery Collections,	4,625 00
TOTAL DEPOSITS, Dec. 1, 1938 to Nov. 30, 1939,	$644,855 29
Cash on Hand, close of business, Nov. 30, 1939,	21,049 82
	$655,905 11

Properties deeded to the City for non-payment of taxes, consist of 29 building lots, 1 wood lot, 1 house and 1 coal shed. Taxes on these properties with accumulated interest and costs amounted to $2,852.91.

Respectfully submitted,
JAY H. RUSSELL,
Tax Collector.

November 30, 1939.

ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR 1940

APPROPRIATIONS

Ordinary City Charges,	$26,000 00	
City Audit,	700 00	
		$26,700 00
Highway Department,		
General Maintenance,	$42,000 00	
Oil and Tar,	15,000 00	
Forestry,	1,000 00	
Incinerator,	2,000 00	
Sidewalks,	1,500 00	
		61,500 00
Fire Department,		22,000 00
Police Department,		28,500 00
Street Lighting,		22,000 00
Public Library,		
Maintenance,	$7,000 00	
Books,	1,000 00	
		8,000 00

Drains,		8,000 00
Sewer Department and Disposal Plant,		13,000 00
Health Activities and Recreation,		
Health Department,	$3,000 00	
Elliot Community Hospital,	5,000 00	
The District Nurse Association,	2,500 00	
Public Parks,	4,000 00	
Public Play Grounds,	1,000 00	
Public Band Concerts,	700 00	
Band Stand Deficit,	89 06	
		16,289 06
Garbage collection,		3,000 00
Welfare Department,		30,000 00
Cemetery Department,		5,500 00
Civic Advertising,		500 00
Patriotic Observance,		300 00
Information Booth,		50 00
Memorial Annuity,		450 00
Monadnock Region Membership,		1,700 00
Money not otherwise appropriated,		5,000 00
Payment on Bonded Indebtedness,		
Highway Construction, loan of 1928,	$11,000 00	
Highway Notes, loan of 1929,	5,500 00	
Security Bonds, loan of 1934,	500 00	
		17,000 00
Payment of Interest,		
Highway Construction, loan of 1928,	$1,636 25	
Highway Notes, loan of 1929,	1,091 25	
Security Bonds, loan of 1934,	130 00	
		2,857 50
		$272,346 56
Deduct,		
Insurance tax,	$3,618 56	
Railroad tax,	2,971 26	
Savings Bank tax,	6,168 15	
Auto Permits,	18,000 00	
Tax, Interest and Dividends,	19,884 21	
		50,642 18
		$221,704 38

We recommend that the sum of $222,000.00 be raised by taxation.

RICHARD L. HOLBROOK,
BERNARD A. STREETER,
PAUL E. WHITCOMB,
Joint Standing Committee on Finance.

December 21, 1939.

JOINT RULE OF ORDER, SECTION 17

In Joint Convention:

Ordered:

That Sect. 11. At the commencement of each municipal year, the following joint standing committees shall be appointed, viz: on finance, on schools, on lands and buildings, on burying grounds, on fire department, on street lights, on public works, on printing, on engrossed bills, on public parks, on public library, on police, on welfare work.

Passed December 21, 1939.

A true copy.

Attest:

Frank H. Whitcomb, City Clerk.

REPORT OF CITY AUDITOR

To His Honor the Mayor and Members of the City Councils:

I have examined the books, notes, deposit books and other securities belonging to the City in the hands of the City Treasurer and trustees of trust funds and find the same correctly set forth in the proper schedules to be printed in the annual report.

I have examined the books and vouchers of the several officers and find that collections and deposits for the year ending Nov. 30, 1939 agree with the recapitulation of receipts and expenditures reported by the finance committee.

I have examined, verified and allowed all claims paid by the City during the fiscal year amounting to $1,113,734.20 and the disbursements as reported by the City Clerk agree with the entries made in the Auditors book.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER M. HUBBARD,

Auditor.

December 15, 1939.

VITAL STATISTICS

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To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils:

In compliance with an act of legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report," I herewith submit the following:

FRANK H. WHITCOMB,
City Clerk.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF KEENE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1939

Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age	Maiden Name of Mother	Age
	1938					
Leona Loretta Culver	Feb. 26	6	———	—	Rena E. Wilson	34
Pauline Ethel	July 4	5	Gilbert W. Pratt	22	Gladys M. Pratt (sic)	24
Janet Lorraine	25	9	Ferdinand A. Dutrisac	33	Velma M. Anderson	28
Anna Carmela	Sept. 14	6	John DiGiulio	45	Anna D. Dentino	40
Helen Mae	Nov. 19	6	Clifford A. Phillips	34	Bernice A. Abbott	26
Shirley Lila	19	5	Walter J. Perreault	41	Evelyn Grace Martin	25
Gail Ann	22	1	Roy A. Young	21	Beatrice M. Chackett	23
Shirley Mae	Dec. 1	4	Allie C. Blood	38	Dora E. Hutchins	36
Clar'ce Horace, Jr.	2	1	Clarence H. Batchelder	18	Marie N. Warner	15
Margaret Jane	6	3	Frank G. Redfield, Jr.	23	Catherine I. Moore	23
Alfred Henry	6	1	August Schiewe	30	Elizabeth Purk	30
Winnifred Frances	7	4	Francis F. Parker	32	Hilda H. Epsberg	22
David Water	8	1	Walter H. Yardley	22	Ruth E. Hill	25
Mary Margaret	8	1	James B. Dee	27	Catherine M. White	27
Jean Rollings	9	3	Linwood E. Gorges	30	Nelda E. Caldwell	24
Donald Lonce	11	1	James W. Hawkins	24	Dorothy E. Hastings	24
Milton Amos	12	5	Amos M. Blanchard	33	Gladys M. Lash	25
Thomasa	13	3	Albert D. Quigley	47	Mildred V. Gilmore	35
Norma Ann	14	7	Edward I. Emmons	50	Norma J. Reed	40
Martha Jane	16	2	Henry Nordstedt	35	Esther Marshall	25
Richard Edward	20	1	Henry J. Lehrman, Jr.	24	Nona W. Patterson	23
Mildred Irene	22	2	Edward M. Menter	39	Theta B. Castle	27
Carol Margaret	23	6	George I. Vorce	27	Doris M. Larmay	25
Barbara Marie	25	1	Robert F. Clay	21	Marie E. O'Brien	19
Jacqueline Pearl	26	1	Phillip G. Boufford	23	Pearl L. E. Dowe	21
Sheila	26	1	John O. Fleming	31	Marguerite K. Eustace	29
Barbara Ann	27	2	Neil B. Bussiere	21	Margaret M. Nallett	21
Bernard	28	3	William Hooper	31	Beatrice V. Howard	27
Robert Arnold	29	2	Clifford F. Harper	33	Irene M. Tacy	23
Arnold Neil	30	1	George D. Daniels	26	Doris M. Page	26
Gayl Carolyn	31	1	Leroy S. Ford	32	Isabel L. Appel	25
Earl Walter, Jr.	31	3	Earl W. Lower	26	Ethel May Jenkins	23
Margo Marina	31	2	George Nichols	40	Georgia Thompson	27
	1939					
Theodore	Jan. 2	1	Theodore A. Koehler	38	Evelyn F. Christian	31
Almes W. M., Jr.	5	3	Almes W. M. Lower	26	Virginia L. Pregent	22
Ernest A., Jr.	5	1	Ernest A. Marrott	35	Irene E. Carpenter	18
Cynthia Lee	8	3	Robert M. Sayers	35	Elizabeth D. Bangs	32
Leo Gregoire	9	5	George L. Leduc	38	Bernadette E. Gregoire	39
———	9	1	Michael F. Croteau	50	Helena M. Hebert	45
Irene Marie	10	4	Silas A. Kenney	41	Doris E. Bartley	22
Richard Edward	12	2	Allen L. Cole	31	Dorothy R. Place	27
Walter Edwin	13	1	———	—	Rena M. Ellis	17
Emmanuel Adolf	14	1	Albert E. Lagerberg	30	Josephine A. Papineau	20
Shirley May	14	3	Elmer S. Britton, Jr.	30	Edith Georgina	33
Richard Wallace	15	4	Elwood H. Green	35	Beatrice M. Tracy	30
Marilyn Ann	15	4	Frank M. Dutter	32	Marion R. Nelson	25
Douglass Henry	16	2	Charles E. Lancey	29	Frances L. St. John	19
Betsy Rae	17	2	Harold F. Wheelock	29	Eleanor O. Martin	22
Sally Anne	18	2	Joseph Kershaw	32	Helen M. Bolt	34

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Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age	Maiden Name of Mother	Age
Vincent Robert	20	3	Wm. J. Wichland	36	Edna M. Henry	31
Florence Anna	20	2	Charles P. Patterson	21	Margaret E. Dower	18
June Lois	24	4	Lyle C. Rice	40	Minnie E. Robbins	37
Polly Joan	24	1	Wm. H. Philbrick, Jr.	29	Lucille L. Underwood	28
Jerry Francis	24	2	Stanley R. Loring	27	Harriet L. Coffin	22
Joyce Mary	26	1	Cleo J. Frechette	27	Cecile M. Perron	23
Charles Albert	28	1	Albert C. Hjelle	35	Viola M. Webinger	25
Richard Lewis	28	2	Ralph H. Beauregard	27	Lucille B. Buntlin	23
Raymond James	30	2	William E. Moore	25	Marion C. Wilson	21
Carolyn Ann	Feb. 5	2	Charles L. Town	—	Blanche Buffum	21
———	6	8	Arthur T. Hamel	35	Mabel M. Willette	33
———	9	10	Peter Bokum	48	Josephine Kopcinski	43
James Domenic	10	1	James Contri	26	Nathalie E. Hackett	23
Sandra Jean	10	3	Zenon M. Ruckey	30	Matilda C. Hajkowski	27
Gerald Arthur	11	1	Arthur J. Desilets	34	Ruth E. Bemis	25
Katherine	13	1	John A. Gianitsis	26	Pauline Theos	19
Bruce	14	4	William J. Barden	27	Wilhelmina Russell	22
Terence Clive	15	3	Walter L. Mark	31	Wilma W. Shattuck	26
Richard	15	1	Joseph Cooke	36	Esther M. Litchfield	39
Helen Louise	17	2	Charles H. Travis	21	Phyllis E. Faulkner	19
Robert Gilbert	18	1	William G. Nelson	23	Mary O. Houston	20
Gary Gordon	18	2	Gordon E. Baker	24	Hazel I. Blair	22
Lorraine Ann	19	7	Clarence W Castor	37	Josephine M. Shattuck	—
Barbara Ann	20	2	Earl S. Stanley	33	Annie I. Reason	27
———	21	1	———	—	Antoria S. Rosen	23
Harold Edward, Jr.	21	3	Harold E. Stone	25	Annie M. Greenwood	22
Martha Lee	22	5	Herman H. Perry	55	Gladys A. Gleason	38
———	24	6	Clyde W. Kenyon	52	Bertha M. Christian	40
Shirley Ann	27	1	Oscar L. Dion	31	Anna H. Poreda	32
Jane Burnett	28	9	Carl B. Vose	44	Lillian Olmstead	38
Ann Elizabeth	28	1	Ernest A. Parker	35	Mary E. Towne	36
Gerald Herbert	28	5	Alfred J. Cote, Jr.	34	Irene H. Hamlin	30
Yvonne Anniete	Mar. 1	1	Ira A. Knapp	26	Ora M. Atwood	17
Shirley Arline	1	2	Lloyd J. Cutter	21	Olive A. Lancy	17
Glenda Evelyn	3	4	Ralph E. Pratt	30	Rosanna D. Anderson	27
———	4	4	Emil E. Turcotte	34	Diana R. Lamotte	33
Gail Ann	5	1	Raymond E. Wilson	22	Hyla M. Waite	20
Sandra Rita	5	4	Gerald A. Fletcher	27	Evelyn M. Beteau	25
Elizabeth Mary	6	2	Raymond H. Bettis	25	Anna M. Navish	26
Marilyn Marcia	7	4	Ralph Kuja	27	Ingrie Jarvie	25
Carol Mary	8	6	Antonio Candello	49	Rose M. Barcomb	38
Jane Marie	10	1	Egidio Giovannangeli	33	Eiline J. Cassidy	29
Sidney Oscar, Jr.	10	5	Sidney O. Davis	40	Bertha M. Saltzgiver	38
Paul Leroy	10	1	Paul A. Shrepta	23	Pauline P. Fagnant	21
———	11	3	Thomas Stavrou	37	Elizabeth A. Nases	37
Elaine Emily	13	2	Ludwig Werninger	34	Emmy A. Grube	35
Dorothy Cora	15	1	Francis W. Wickes	27	Annie D. Olivo	26
Joan Alena	16	1	Vernard J. Wirein	26	Julia L. Braley	22
Marilyn Ann	19	1	Edward S. Smith	33	Edna G. Foss	30
Bertha Harriet	20	4	Arthur D. Britton	36	Inez E. Wallace	30
Jonathan Myrick	20	1	Philip B. Daniels	34	Constance Veaver	33

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Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age	Maiden Name of Mother	Age
Jerome Stephen	21	1	John W. Galloway	26	Helen E. Perkins	30
Nancy Alice	21	1	Howard A. Parker	26	Leona J. Hunt	26
Robert Adwin	22	2	Paul E. Whitcomb	33	Josephine M. Rowe	30
Roland Bruce	22	2	Earl W. Barrett	32	Fanny Georgina	28
Robert William	23	2	Edward C. Sullivan	35	Margaret J. Duchesneau	26
Selda Louise	24	6	Wallace L. Maroon	30	Mildred M. Lappin	26
Janice	24	4	Warren H. Craig	27	Evelyn V. Balch	28
George Austin	25	1	Felix H. DeBell	23	Violet A. Rice	19
Norman David	26	6	Joseph F. Topa	40	Hilda N. Ketcham	30
William Warren	26	2	Stanley C. Austin	33	Anna C. Bartlett	29
Elm'r Almarion, Jr.	27	3	Elmer A. Grover	32	Geneva L. Cram	36
Barbara Jean	28	4	Donald G. Davis	28	Alice C. Thayer	24
Reginald Everett	28	4	Frank C. Moore	32	Eldora M. Davis	30
William Edmond	29	1	Olin E. Reed	24	Lillian M. V. Gocha	20
Jacques Gerald	30	1	Bernard Cecil Jarvis	25	Kathryn E. Schutzman	22
Richard Louis, Jr.	31	1	Richard L. Stone	20	Pauline R. Richards	19
Robert Streeter	31	2	Charles W. Perry	29	Charlotte E. Bedaw	25
Harry John	April 2	4	William J. Crawford	24	Rita H. Gausepohl	19
Alan Rixford	3	3	Marshall H. Putnam	37	Marion S. Salvaging	37
Norris Calvin	5	1	Chesley C. Cashman	20	Dorothy H. Shattuck	19
Harry Chase	5	3	Robert G. Shaw	28	Dorothy M. Day	26
———	6	1	Knost'tin R. Kernozicky	34	Helen E. Koskela	33
David Robert	10	3	Donald C. Manning	28	Mildred L. Guyett	28
John Anthony	11	1	Maurice B. Sullivan	27	Gladys I. Blair	23
Barbara Elizabeth	13	2	Ernest T. Bergeron	26	Elizabeth B. Sewell	24
Donald, Jr.	13	1	Donald Macnaughtan	47	Dorothy A. Sewell	30
Law'ce Carleton, II	14	1	Lawrence C. McClure	22	Dorothea M. Beebe	20
LeRoy Isaac	14	1	Ernest L. Champagne	31	Agnes M. Patterson	28
Bruce Austin	15	1	Cecil A. Rockwell	21	Mildred A. Nadeau	19
Marilyn Jewett	21		Gilbert H. Wyman	25	Mary E. Walker	26
Sarah Lane	22	3	George E. Holbrook	33	Elizabeth L. Wood	25
Shirley Ann	23	1	Norman C. Gorges	38	Roberta I. Morse	25
Joanne Elizabeth	25	2	Wilfred J. Joyal	29	Frances E. Norton	26
Walter, Jr.	25	1	Walter Zinn	31	Olga E. Russell	16
Richard Wakefield	25	1	Eric A. Carlson	25	Dorothy H. Wakefield	24
———	25	1	Harold R. Wilson	24	Gladys L. Thayer	19
Robart Martin	27	6	Bert E. Daniels	40	Edith L. Robie	33
Merton George	30	3	Carl C. Clark	38	Aurea M. Lariviere	31
Sonya	30	2	Herbert H. Martin	27	Zina Durovich	23
Anthony Lovell	30	1	John S. Redington	33	Ruth M. Lovell	18
Susan	30	3	William G. Zimmerman	34	Geraldine A. Allain	29
Oscar Joseph	May 2	2	Oscar P. Black	33	Tatiana A. Bartashivze	25
Janice Gail	2	1	Daniel D. Henderson	29	Margery V. Beauchesne	26
Judith Katherine	33	1	Bernard J. Savage	31	Roxanna D. LeGro	32
———	3	1	———	—	Katherine D. Bishop	20
Marolyn K. Lucien	4	1	Stan E. Lucien	25	Mary Lucash	28
Robert James	5	6	James C. Norton	32	Eva D. Woods	31
Carol Elizabeth	6	3	Clyde C. Clark	36	Mabel M. Bushaw	37
Patricia Lee	8	1	Henry W. Bent	28	Marie I. Paulson	24
Edwin Francis	10	7	Leon F. Bourassa	33	Angelina M. Turcotte	33
Richard Roderick	10	2	Ernest R. Croteau	35	Helene M. Pregent	32

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Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age	Maiden Name of Mother	Age
Ronald Paul	11	6	Paul H. Clark	41	Pauline Plummer	41
Judith Dianne	12	15	Ernest W. Ball	46	Victoria N. Webster	41
Joseph Paul	13	3	Bruno G. Hebert	32	Simone J. Mercure	26
Arlene Marie	14	4	Wesley J. Peets	35	Helen L. Hojaboom	32
Patricia Ann	15	1	John R. Matthews	25	Ruth J. Travis	23
Ann Patricia	20	1	Arthur L. Davis	26	Florence C. Lavigne	26
Nancy Louise	20	6	Homer S. Bradley	43	Alice I. Proctor	38
Marlene Ethel	21	10	Theodore L. Rhoades	35	Agnes M. Willett	32
Arlene Margaret	21	11	Theodore L. Rhoades	35	Agnes M. Willett	32
Donna Jean	21	1	Paul C. McNamara	31	Mary S. Fisk	30
Marylyn Evans	22	2	Philip H. James	34	Rosemary James	36
Lorae Grace	23	1	Eli R. Boisvert	26	Grace O. Colburn	25
James Lawrence	25	2	Lawrence H. Gourley	23	Ora M. Berthiaume	24
Louise Elaine	27	2	Aaro A. Pelto	—	Mabel B. Gardner	30
Myrna Ruth	29	1	Austin H. Curtis	26	Ruth E. Almquist	26
Bruce Emory	30	2	William E. Jones	24	Maxine Smith	25
Hildagard Helen	30	1	Walter H. Roehrig	37	Matilda Stader	31
Cynthia Ann	30	1	David J. Nicholls	29	Kathryn W. Erwin	31
Carmen Michael	June 1	1	Howard G. Yon	29	Marjorie M. Woodbury	27
Joanne	1	2	Clinton L. Brown	27	Ruth A. Davis	21
William Charles	2	2	Charles I. Stowell	24	Ruth C. Barrett	26
Elaine Carol Wendy	4	6	Oscar Helie	56	Florida Beland	45
Freda Marie	5	2	Fred P. Royce	27	Louise G. Poisson	18
Kay Frances	6	1	Joseph M. Mingolla	22	Mary F. Bolles	20
Nancy Belle	6	6	Chester Cadrette	28	Ramona Theriague	25
Jo Anne	7	3	Joseph H. Lavigne	28	Marie A. Silk	28
Richard Horace	9	3	Harry R. Columb	28	Marion A. Pickering	26
Robert Wright	10	4	Clifton F. Ball	22	Dorothy E. Wright	21
———	11	4	James H. Henry	30	Grace C. Fredette	30
Owen Thresher	12	2	Russell O. Holden	36	Annie F. Spear	36
Gunnar Leo	12	3	Jorma L. Kangas	31	Vilma M. Haarala	25
Eileen Lena	12	4	Theodore R. Smith	35	Violet A. Rollins	23
Caroline Alice	13	1	Richard M. Flagg	19	Hazel Bulley	17
———	13	5	Perley J. Emerson	40	Irene M. Albee	33
Edward Clark	13	3	Francis H. Cheever	30	Ora I. Hamelin	30
Joseph, Jr.	14	4	Joseph Dedo	39	Mary Covella	35
Rodney Dana	15	3	Leon J. Willette	25	Elizabeth Hooper	21
Gilbert Allen	18	10	Charles W. Miles	39	Loretta L. Bates	45
Lorriane Emma	19	1	George E. Gauthier	27	Emma B. Clough	19
Carol Ann	20	3	Franklin I. Gordon	32	Dorothy G. Hulslander	29
Leo Henry	22	3	Henry J. Cote	33	Gladys C. Latouche	29
Peter Paul	22	1	Howard W. Brigham	21	Katherine L. Rushlow	16
Ruth Margaret	23	2	Oscar G. Harris	44	Margaret E. Estes	28
Fred'k Russell, Jr.	24	2	Frederick R. Judd	34	Evelyn L. Hadley	21
Dorothy Ann	25	3	Francis W. Wescott	30	Beatrice E. Swatzer	32
Alice Helena	26	3	Wilfred E. Vorce	25	Mary K. Black	21
Beatrice May	26	6	Gilbert W. Pratt	23	Gladys M. Pratt (sic)	25
Edw'd Bernard, Jr.	27	1	Edward B. Williams	24	Eleanor I. Jeffords	26
Richard Leonard	27	3	Raymond J. Trombley	31	Edith E. Alstrom	32
Judith Farwell	28	1	Robert H. Domina	25	Alice F. Whitcomb	26
Gordon Bruce	28	1	Dwight B. MacFarlane	24	Marilyn M. Simonds	24

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Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age	Maiden Name of Mother	Age
Panayula Konst'nos	28	8	Konstantinos J. Kontenos	45	Athanasia A. Zahos	38
Don Porter	30	3	Carlton C. Buckman	30	Flora M. McQuade	29
Bruce McDonald	30	2	Irving J. Sharkey	36	Marie A. McDonald	34
Marjorie Edythe	July 1	2	Lester L. Feather	25	Louise N. Eager	22
Claudette Jo-An	2	1	Robert W. Faubert	23	Pauline D. DeBonville	22
Joanne May	4	1	Floyd E. Gerrish	24	June L. Kenyon	19
Jerone Frank	4	2	Floyd E. Gerrish	24	June L. Kenyon	19
Leo Edmund	4	4	Wilfred L. Lambert	37	Anna C. Whittemore	33
Patricia Ann	6	2	Robert S. Barrett	23	Helen E. Kilburn	20
David Felix	6	2	Felix W. Tommila	28	Helmi E. Nattila	21
Peter Cushing	8	1	Donald C. Wyman	27	Janette Greene	26
Carl Warren	11	1	Leland I. Curtis	26	Dorothy B. Greenleaf	17
Naomi Ann	11	1	Raymond M. Hadley	19	Gertrude D. Ward	18
Francis Arnold	12	2	Russell C. Shearer	34	Florine Parks	27
———	13	2	Laurence C. Hart	30	Blanche L. Quintin	29
Caroline Joan	16	1	Arthur L. Bell	25	Alice A. Haynes	34
Harry Wil'ams, 3rd	19	1	Harry W. Kelly, Jr.	21	Agnes E. Lockrey	18
Albert James, Jr.	19	3	Albert J. Stackpole	41	Mary R. McDonald	36
Bruce Orville	19	1	Orville A. Wyman	37	Gladys L. Watkins	30
Geo. Wesley, 3rd	20	3	Geo. W. Olmstead, Jr.	28	Christine M. Blanchard	26
———	21	4	Willard E. Clark	33	Josephine Elliott	28
John Milo	22	2	Frank M. Collier	23	Rita M. Desruisseau	20
John Henry	23	2	Noyes John Bolles	31	Edith N. Brown	30
Sandra Lee	24	2	Ernest C. Goland	34	Shirley E. Randel	27
Jean Ann	24	1	———	—	Annette M. Lecuyer	21
Sandra May	25	8	Harold L. Buckley	32	Elsie R. Morris	25
Lucenda Eunice	26	1	Carroll A. Bridgeo	24	Reba E. Sparks	18
Marcelle Aurelia	26	2	Leon B. Stratton	29	Marie A. O. Hebert	27
Kenneth	27	5	Leroy W. Jordan	35	Mary E. Hildreth	29
Charlotte Lewise	30	1	Lewis M. Hildreth	34	Alice M. Rowe	26
Charlotte Mae	Aug. 2	3	Charles W. Porter	28	Doris E. Fenerty	26
David Parry	3	2	Donald F. Ewing	29	Anna P. Kraatz	29
Roger Tolman	3	1	Harold T. Packard	38	Adelaide G. Hatton	32
Edward Joseph	4	2	Edward J. Lower	39	Gladys M. A. Martin	31
Leonard Orrin	4	2	Leonard O. Hinds	39	Elva E. Goodwin	27
Elizabeth Frances	4	2	James G. Small	28	Helen E. Ray	28
Lance John	5	6	John Allan	52	Pearl M. Jewell	44
Stanley Gerard	5	1	Gerard L. Roy	29	Mary E. Adams	24
Richard John	6	3	Lester K. Jarvis	32	Aura M. Tetreault	33
Johanne	6	2	John S. deMartelly	34	Janet D. Spaeth	29
Richard Vaino	7	2	Waino Autio	30	Martha E. Koistinen	34
David Everett	7	1	Edward E. Rhodes, Jr.	30	Barbara Henry	27
Margaret Louise	9	1	Robert D. Gilbo	22	Louise M. Whippie	21
William Paul	9	4	Wilmer J. Croteau	25	Ida Knowlton	26
Beverly Ann	10	1	Arthur J. LaCoste	28	Eva M. Beaudette	29
Francois Rene	10	2	Romeo P. Lamothe	33	Gabrielle J. Drouin	28
Rosalie Loretta	12	1	Chester I. Kenney	21	Loretta L. LaValley	20
Ele'nor Ruth Barton	15	1	William J. Fuller	26	Ruth J. Barton	22
Gregory Frederick	16	1	Frank G. Lawrence	27	Madeleine R. Marrotte	25
Wayne Arnold	17	7	James E. Gallagher	36	Alice F. Macomber	33
Christie Stanley, Jr.	17	1	Christie S. Ellinwood	25	Elfreda M. Stone	21

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Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age	Maiden Name of Mother	Age
David Carl	18	1	Carl F. Robinson	21	Ethelene B. Martel	19
Ellen-Ann Elizabeth	18	1	Robert C. Keddy	31	Evelyn L. Kelley	19
Richard Joseph	18	1	Homer W. Forcier	46	Dorothy V. Verry	29
Verne Rene	19	2	Rene Joseph Richard	42	Eva L. Menter	19
Rita	19	1	———	—	Rita Ciano	32
Alfred Carl	19	3	William A. Avery	32	Evelyn I. Broadley	27
Alan Edward	19	2	Clarence K. Richardson	32	Madolyn C. Clark	29
Brenda Joyce	21	1	Harold H. Hubbard	23	Barbara J. Elkey	21
Virginia May	22	1	———	—	Barbara C. Miner	16
Gail Marie	23	1	Forrest E. French	21	Edith M. Decker	20
Constance Elaine	23	1	Albert I. Little	40	Ethel M. Putnam	23
Donna Lee	23	3	Ar'r H. Chickering, Jr.	39	Irene A. Jadkowski	25
Richard Lawrence	24	4	William J. Robinson	45	Florence O. Butler	35
Wander May	26	3	Carrel F. Reed	29	Vera R. Jenkins	25
Nancy Rowena	26	2	Raymond D. Nash, Sr.	27	Margaret R. Matthews	24
———	26	1	———	—	Lucy T. Houle	16
Winona Clavene	27	3	Oliver O. Giguere	30	Irene Melissa Greene	23
Keith Charles	30	2	Leslie J. Fraser	27	Lena M. Whittaker	28
Stanley David	30	2	Raymond H. Burt	26	Rachel L. Lewis	20
Marilyn Mae	30	3	Wilfred J. Monette	30	Eva Agnes Noel	24
David Franklyn	31	6	Donald M. Bemis	32	Bessie M. Dodge	30
Janice	Sept. 1	5	Daniel Cyr	37	Edith Pearson	37
Dennis Burton	2	2	Wm. Davis Shinn, Jr.	31	Barbara M. Dimock	25
Paul Henry	2	5	Leo H. Besaw	40	Lena E. Davis	38
Robert Austin	4	6	Walter L. Bourassa	30	Violet R. Jarvis	26
Morie Allan	5	3	Rev. Ralph W. Williams	30	Katie E. Seaman	27
Therese Rose	6	2	Francis J. Coty	29	Fabiola R. Tessier	30
Frances Alice	7	1	Howard T. Judd	39	Frances A. Ross	31
Linda Lee	8	1	Reginald H. Houle	23	Rachel E. Taylor	23
Howard Jerome, Jr.	10	1	Howard J. Thurston	24	Kathleen R. Mannis	20
Margaret Ann	10	4	Robert L. Mallat	36	Margaret E. Sweeney	36
James Prescott	10	1	Lewis P. Johnson	28	Isabelle M. Call	29
Martin John	10	3	Theophile G. Tetreault	27	Mary H. Keenan	23
Audrey Ann	11	2	Oren B. Carey	23	Mary E. Malcolm	20
Eva	12	10	Marshall W. Blouin	37	Beatrice Bourgeois	33
Sally Ann	13	2	Raymond B. Richardson	26	Frances L. Parker	27
John Albert	13	1	Albert G. Clark	25	Priscilla M. Campbell	22
Michael Joseph, Jr.	13	2	Michael J. Morley	25	Marian A. Powers	22
Charlotte Louise	14	1	William R. Patnode	25	Norma L. Applin	21
Gordon Hugh	14	4	James B. Turner	51	Gwendolyn Johnson	29
Beverly Anne	18	1	Rev. Roy M. Pearson	25	Ruth Simmons	25
Sally Alta	19	1	Albert R. Stowell	21	Virginia V. LaClair	20
David Mortimer, Jr.	20	1	David M. Malcolm	27	Florence I. Buntlin	22
Douglas Edward	20	2	Irving E. Hill	23	Mary L. Moran	21
David George	21	2	Roger B. Adams	29	Bernice M. Tilford	26
Patricia Jeanne	21	1	Wakefield R. LeClair	24	Aurilla C. Gauthier	18
Rich'd Franklin, Jr.	21	1	Richard F. Cady	22	Frances J. Stafford	22
Sandra Jane	22	6	Winfred W. Ringland	44	Vera M. Watkins	40
Arnold Newton	22	1	Arnold N. O'Brien	33	Helen F. Priest	32
Dorothy Anne	22	2	Arnold N. O'Brien	33	Helen F. Priest	32
Aubrey Ruth	24	1	William H. Kirker	34	Kathryn B. Curtis	18

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Leo Joseph	25	2	Ronald J. Cote	26	Catherine L. Duchesneau	21
Dale Frances	26	3	Ralph F. Carroll	35	Lillian M. Connor	34
Alfred Joseph	26	1	Alfred C. Guymond	28	Hazel E. Wright	21
Margaret Ann	26	1	Delbert E. Grover	24	Margaret A. Bonner	18
Cynthia Ann	28	3	Rev. Daniel H. Miller	36	Helen M. Huyck	35
Judith Ann	29	1	Arnold R. Cuthbert	27	Corinne E. Mullett	24
Martha	Oct. 1	1	John L. Matsikas	25	Dicka Nikiforakis	23
Sandra Carlene	1	1	Russell W. Jefts	21	Blanch E. St. John	20
Patricia Ann	1	1	———	—	Isabelle M. Wilber	19
Frederick Richard	2	1	Frederick J. Laffond	31	Mary A. Bergeron	29
David Joseph	3	5	Oscar D. Lamothe	32	Alice C. Halpin	31
Deanna Theresa	3	1	Nicholas Properzio	30	Olive J. Salce	27
Jacqueline Jane	3	1	Richard M. Parent	21	Mildred A. E. Cadrette	18
Alfred Charles	3	1	Alfred J. Lerandeau	38	Maura Connors	33
Gordon Eugene	5	1	Eugene E. Fuller	30	Hazel V. Willard	31
David Alton	6	2	Willard O. Gordon	23	Marjorie L. Currier	19
Glenn Joseph	7	1	Joseph 1. Guyette	20	Dorothy L. Wilber	20
Joseph Maurice	8	1	Harry L. Patnode	21	Ina W. Hakala	20
Marjorie May	8	1	———	—	Dorothy M. Nelson	18
Rita Mary	8	4	Joseph L. Henault	30	Mariam E. LaDue	27
Norman Bruce	9	2	Francis F. Derosier	21	Ardith G. Shea	23
Ellen Newlin	9	2	Heman Chase	38	Edith H. Newlin	34
David Bruce	10	2	Robert B. Gibson	28	Elizabeth J. Wark	22
Norma Theresa	10	6	Henry LaCoille	32	Mildred Croteau	34
Thomas Henry, Jr.	10	5	Thomas H. Rudolf	38	Edna E. E. Carey	32
Peter Barrett	14	6	Charles S. Wright	50	Helen A. Conant	36
Joan Ann	15	3	William H. Black	34	Maude V. Robbins	29
Ford Woodman	16	3	John W. Law	35	Hazel M. Bean	34
Martha Louise	17	3	John D. Smith	42	Mildred W. Walker	28
Joan Ann	17	1	Leonard Malila	34	Irene B. Pregent	21
Ellen Hale	18	1	Harold Wm.. Parker	25	Helen M. Carver	26
Wyona Audrey	18	1	Ernest G. Gorges	44	Virginia E. Abbott	33
Gary Ware	20	2	Attilio J. Romano	28	Mildred L. Ware	26
Clifford Wesley	21	2	Lee K. Channell	24	Irene V. LaDue	23
Ann Elizabeth	21	5	Alexander A. McIsaac	39	Ruth E. Jewett	28
Gerald Clyde	21	2	Austin C. Carey	21	Carmen P. Lovely	19
Philip Darrell	23	5	Raymond C. Buckley	30	Eleanor B. Sears	24
Lorraine Lilia	24	1	Roy F. Croteau	26	Mildred M. Crosby	17
David George	25	1	George T. Hackler	23	Edna G. Cole	22
Nancy May	25	3	Leon W. Judd	30	Elgo Forstrom	24
Norman Daw, Jr.	26	1	Norman D. Wilber	31	Gertrude M. Murphy	29
Arthur Leonard	30	1	Leonard J. Trombly	29	Iva A. Sargent	25
Gale Wilson	30	4	Hugh A. Shelley	38	Annie M. Johnson	31
Carolyn	31	2	Erwin M. Adams	33	Frances L. Cobb	31
Mary Jo	Nov. 2	1	Ernest L. Woodbury	28	Geraldine R. Mason	28
LeRoy David	2	1	Marvin O. Griffith	25	Isabelle R. Braun	26
Emily Ann	5	2	Henry M. Southwell	35	Antanina Morgan	25
Ken'th Norton, Jr.	5	1	Kenneth N. Mills	23	Margaret L. Blanchard	
Ann Marie	5	1	Edward J. Marrotte	27	Lorraine E. Goseling	17
Alberta Carrie	9	3	Clarence A. Willette	21	Hannah W. Cole	19
Lawrence George	10	2	Robert C. Goodale	21	Anna E. Johnson	26

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Shirley Leona	11	4	Ernest A. Frazier	37	Leona A. Rice	26
David Cooke	12	2	Cedric H. MacDougall	38	Constance U. Cooke	38
Garrison Fred'k	13	1	Frederick J. Martell	39	Pauline K. Perry	25
Kay Margaret	15	2	Victor P. Johnson	27	Beatrice P. Chamberl'n	26
Carlton Whitney	16	1	Floyd C. Peterson	26	Isabel M. Whitney	29
Shirley Patricia	17	1	Raymond R. Blanchard	18	Florence V. St. John	18
Sandra Jean	22	2	Ronald W. Ballou	30	Ruth F. Davis	29
Alice Florence	23	7	Frank E. Parkhurst	44	Grace H. Lancey	24
Marie Theresa	28	3	Armand J. Jacob	31	Marie A. Gaillardetz	30
Sally Ann	29	1	Louis A. Fagnant	19	Bernice E. McKernon	19
Richard Wayne	29	1	Ralph D. Wilson	28	Lydia J. Coppo	27

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Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at Time of Marriage	Age	No. of Marriage Sin., Wid., etc.	Date	By Whom Married
				1938	
George E. Briggs	Troy	21	1	Feb. 12	
Dorothy M. Hodgkins	Keene	18	1		Rev. Christian Groezinger
George O. Luopa	Troy	20	1	Apr. 16	
Marion E. Robinson	Keene	18	1		Rev. Ralph W. Williams
Norman C. Gorges	Keene	37	2	21	
Roberta I. Morse	Brattleboro, Vt.	24	1		Rev. Kenneth T. Widney
Earl L. Perham	Keene	21	1	Sept. 3	
Lydia M. Desrochers	Troy	17	1		Rev. Charles E. Burque
Harold W. Parker	Keene	24	1	Oct. 1	
Helen M. Carver	Troy	25	1		Rev. Harry L. Smith
John J. Barrett	Troy	25	1	12	
Louise B. Pierce	Keene	20	1		Rev. Charles E. Burque
Charles L. Bettis	Keene	21	1	Nov. 23	
Frances P. Kingsley	Windsor, Vt.	24	1		Rev. E. C. Fontaine
Byrd G. Hamilton	Keene	43	2	Dec. 9	
Alice M. Jackson	Keene	27	1		Rev. George L. Parker
Winthrop L. Loring	Keene	20	1	17	
Alice V. Clay	Keene	18	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
Don W. Randall	Troy	50	2	22	
Mary J. Donovan	Keene	28	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Leland M. Partridge	Keene	26	1	24	
Doris L. Balch	Keene	24	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
Alson C. Cantlin	Keene	29	1	24	
Helen C. Colburn	Keene	26	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Frank M. Collier	Swanzey	22	1	24	
Rita M. Deruisseau	Keene	19	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Richard M. Flagg	Swanzey	18	1	24	
Hazel Bulley	Keene	17	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
Frank A. Durkee	Keene	48	2	25	
Mary H. Hurst	Keene	34	2		Rev. William S. Gooch
Francis T. Naylor	Dublin	17	1	26	
Evelyn DeRosier	Keene	18	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Donald F. Fairbanks	Keene	24	1	27	
Frances L. Prouty	Brattleboro, Vt.	25	1		Rev. Arthur P. Pratt
Christopher Guinane	Keene	33	1	31	
Roene L. Pappas	Keene	32	2		Rev. C. P. Buckley
William E. Fuller	Chesterfield	30	2	31	
Lila E. Wilder	Keene	29	1		Rev. Robbins E. Ralph
				1939	
Robert O. Beverstock	Keene	23	1	Jan. 1	
Geraldine R. Sawyer	Keene	23	1		Rev. Austin H. Reed
Perley G. Pratt	Keene	27	1	2	
Ruth E. Calkins	Swanzey	19	1		Rev. George T. Carl
Michael J. Morley	Keene	23	1	6	
Marion A. P. Johnson	Keene	21	2		Rev. Robbins E. Ralph
Darrell M. Flagg	Keene	20	1	14	
Barbara C. Miles	Keene	16	1		Rev. Howard B. Hawkes
Perley A. Branscomb	Keene	32	2	14	
Florence P. Hildreth	Swanzey	30	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
George S. Wyman	Keene	29	1	14	
Helene R. Crain	Keene	23	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Adelard St. Amand	Keene	50	1	20	
Anna Brough	Keene	65	3		Rev. John Bosa
Theodore L. Rhoades	Springfield, Vt.	34	2	21	
Agnes M. Fish	Keene	29	2		Rev. J. G. Beveridge
John G. Powers, Jr.	Keene	23	1	28	
Beatrice M. Emery	Keene	23	1		Rev. G. Bennett Buskirk
Gilbert W. Pratt	Keene	23	1	28	
Gladys M. Thompson	Keene	24	2		Rev. Willis E. Smith

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Nascenzio R. Boccia	Keene	27	1	28	
Lourette L. Boisvert	Keene	20	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
William A. Duncklee	Marlboro	28	1	Feb. 3	
Ruth F. Bartlett	Keene	18	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
James R. Bishop	Keene	67	1	6	
Florence M. Baker	Keene	57	3		Rev. Vivian G. Higgs
Leonard Malila	Troy	33	1	11	
Irene B. Pregent	Keene	20	1		Frank H. Whitcomb, J. P.
Louis R. Arsenault	Keene	26	1	11	
Rose A. Lamothe	Keene	26	1		Rev. John Bosa
Forrest E. French	Keene	20	1	12	
Edith M. Decker	Keene	19	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
Robert G. Ringland	Keene	26	1	17	
Leola M. Graves	Keene	22	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Rene E. Des Jardins	Marlboro	26	1	18	
Agnes M. Lagerberg	Keene	22	1		Rev. C. P. Buckley
Carl F. Robinson	Keene	21	1	27	
Etheleene B. Martel	Keene	19	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Richard M. Parent	Keene	22	1	Mar. 12	
Mildred A. Cadrette	Keene	18	1		Rev. Robbins E. Ralph
Kenneth N. Mills	Keene	21	1	12	
Margaret L. Blanchard	Keene	20	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Alfred S. Connors	Keene	22	1	27	
Enza L. Robbins	Elmira, N. Y.	19	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Howard E. Brigham	Keene	21	1	Apr. 2	
Katherine L. Rushlow	Keene	16	1		Frank H. Whitcomb, J. P.
Norman D. Wilber	Keene	31	1	5	
Gertrude M. Murphy	Keene	29	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
Walter Zinn	Keene	31	1	6	
Olga E. Russell	East Westmoreland	16	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Harold F. Fuller	Keene	25	1	7	
Doris M. Thayer	Keene	21	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Paul R. Lamoureux	Keene	21	1	9	
Priscilla D. Stratton	Keene	18	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Howard G. Hicks	East Hampton, Mass.	26	1	10	
Marjorie L. Valley	Keene	20	1		Rev. John Feeney
Paul J. Fontaine	Keene	34	1	10	
Alice A. O'Leary	Keene	28	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Edward A. Fecto	Winchester	22	1	17	
Mary M. A. Leblond	Keene	17	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Francis V. Thompson	Keene	32	1	20	
Elsie G. Lounder	Keene	22	2		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Edgar W. Read	Keene	24	1	May 1	
Norma B. Gaseau	Marlboro	23	1		Rev. C. P. Buckley
Ralph O. Barrett	Keene	23	1	3	
Grace M. LaFargue	Keene	17	1		Frank H. Whitcomb, J. P.
Wallace F. Partridge	Keene	25	1	6	
Elizabeth M. Brown	Keene	21	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Francis L. Lisciotte	Keene	22	1	6	
Hazel J. Rolfe	Keene	21	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Arthur R. DeBonville	Fitchburg, Mass.	24	1	6	
Lucienne M. Jobin	Fitchburg, Mass.	21	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Russell J. Talbot	Swanzey	24	1	10	
Mary Rose G. Helie	Keene	18	1		Rev. John Feeney
Edward J. LaFargue	Keene	19	1	13	
Arlene L. Harvey	Dublin	23	1		Frank H. Whitcomb, J. P.
Ernest L. Breed	Keene	22	1	17	
Vera E. Francoeur	Keene	19	1		Arthur F. Evans, J. P.
Clifton B. Bradish	Keene	28	1	18	
Xavina R. Bailey	Keene	32	2		Frank H. Whitcomb, J. P.

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George W. Flint, Jr.	Keene	22	1	20	
Frances M. Doody	Keene	19	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Benjamin W. Cann	Albany, N. Y.	35	2	23	
Kathleen L. Dickins	Albany, N. Y.	25	2		Frank H. Whitcomb, J. P.
Kenison M. Hill	Concord	29	2	26	
Ruth H. Quimby	Keene	25	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Emile Dubois	Keene	37	1	27	
Wilma M. Lagerberg	Keene	39	1		Rev. George L. Parker
Arthur F. Martel	Keene	23	1	27	
Maybelle G. Kaiser	Keene	20	1		Rev. Joseph Rogers
Arthur E. LaMothe	Keene	22	1	27	
Irene M. Ballou	Keene	20	1		Rev. John Bosa
Edgar P. Cooney	Three Rivers, Ca.	40	2	29	
Olive G. Higgins	Montreal, Ca.	29	1		Chester B. Jordan, J. P.
Roy F. Croteau	Keene	26	1	29	
Mildred M. Crosby	Keene	17	1		Arthur F. Evans, J. P.
James M. Balch	New York, N. Y.	41	2	June 1	
Fay Curleu	New York, N. Y.	29	1		Frank H. Whitcomb, J. P.
Ernest W. Doody	Keene	25	1	3	
Lily I. Hurt	Keene	19	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Charles K. Whitcomb, Jr.	Keene	27	1	5	
Matilda A. Hinds	West Swanzey	18	1		Rev. William S. Gooch
LeRoy H. Cloutier	Keene	25	1	10	
Grace M. Muchmore	Keene	24	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
Albert W. Dedo	Keene	22	1	12	
Frances G. Tolman	E. Swanzey	23	1		Rev. John Bosa
Richard F. Sharron	Keene	20	1	13	
Myrtie C. Plummer	E. Swanzey	18	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
John W. Evans	Keene	65	2	14	
Grace M. Tinker	Keene	55	2		Rev. George T. Carl
Lucien E. Taylor	Brookline, Mass.	67	2	15	
Effie C. Merrill	Boston, Mass.	63	1		Rev. George L. Parker
Charles B. Morse	Keene	49	2	16	
Mary H. Taylor	Keene	44	2		Rev. J. T. Copplestone
Leonell H. Boisvert	Keene	22	1	17	
Katherine M. Hurt	Keene	21	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Francis H. Amer	Keene	21	1	17	
Helen S. Saari	Keene	18	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Milton E. Ellison	Keene	25	1	17	
Mae D. Miner	Winchester	23	2		Rev. William S. Gooch
Donald L. Woods	Keene	24	1	18	
Tessie E. Dillant	Keene	21	1		Rev. George L. Parker
Elbert A. Frink	Keene	20	1	18	
Aldene E. Howard	Keene	19	1		Rev. Joseph Rogers
Harry H. Johnson	Keene	42	1	24	
Emogene M. Russell	Roxbury	32	1		Rev. Robbins E. Ralph
Raymond G. Parker	Gilsum	27	1	24	
Barbara H. Mills	Keene	17	1		Rev. Joseph Rogers
Henry C. Furlone	Keene	29	1	24	
Rose A. Derosier	Keene	32	1		Rev. John Bosa
Ralph O. Wing	Keene	22	1	24	
Norman M. Breed	Keene	18	1		Rev. Howard B. Hawkes
Mitcheal F. Martin	Marlboro	22	1	24	
Mary Jane L. Arsenault	Keene	21	1		Rev. John Feeney
Porter O. Dexter	Keene	24	1	24	
Annette R. Rice	Rindge	24	1		Rev. Robert Fletcher
Alfred E. Jarvis	Keene	20	1	July 1	
Sylvia E. Amer	Keene	20	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Philip H. Martin	Keene	23	1	3	
Irene C. Croteau	Keene	22	1		Rev. John Bosa

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Donald R. Bennett	Chesterfield	27	1	3	
Gladys E. LaBarn	Keene	28	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Jeremiah F. Driscoll	Keene	59	2	8	
Catherine A. McDonald	Keene	51	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Elmer Calvin Wyman	Keene	28	1	8	
Esther N. Miles	Keene	17	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Guilford M. Palmer, Jr.	Wilmington, Mass.	21	1	9	
Thelma L. Shipley	Wilmington, Mass.	19	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Harvey A. Rousseau	Keene	26	1	14	
Cora H. White	Keene	23	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Albert W. Goetchins	Beacon, N. Y.	30	2	15	
Marguerite C. Mason	Beacon, N. Y.	33	1		Rev. Robbins E. Ralph
Gerald A. Parenteau	Keene	23	1	15	
Katherine D. Boomhower	Keene	20	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Curtis E. Blaine	Keene	21	1	15	
Alice L. Hewey	Bellows Falls, Vt.	23	1		Byron A. Robinson, J. P.
Roger M. Lee	Chesterfield	19	1	15	
Annie A. Pregent	Keene	19	1		Rev. Donald B. F. Hoyt
Clyde H. James	Keene	32	1	17	
Anna M. Sullivan	Keene	26	1		Rev. John Bosa
John G. Carroll	Keene	49	1	22	
Harriette Durant	Keene	56	3		Rev. Ray E. Butterfield
Louis A. Bergeron	Keene	20	1	24	
Elizabeth M. Johnson	Keene	17	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Byron E. Edgecomb, Jr.	Keene	21	1	25	
Eva J. Howland	Keene	18	1		Frank H. Whitcomb, J. P.
George C. McClenning	Keene	21	1	28	
Doris M. McMahon	Keene	18	1		Rev. Robbins E. Ralph
Clarence W. Rennie	Keene	40	1	Aug. 4	
Florence M. Fields	Westmoreland	18	1		Rev. Harold M. Frye
Charles R. Adams	Keene	26	1	12	
Hannah K. Ellis	Keene	28	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
David G. Thornton	Winchester	70	2	12	
Elizabeth M. Juniper	Winchester	35	2		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Edward J. Hanna, Jr.	Swanzey	27	1	14	
Ruth M. Plaisted	Keene	32	1		Rev. Chesley S. Lantz
Franklin F. Ripley	Troy	28	1	19	
Elizabeth T. Kingsbury	Keene	24	1		Rev. George L. Parker
Winfield Cornett	Boston, Mass.	29	1	19	
Charlotte S. Nims	Keene	27	1		Rev. William S. Gooch
Bernard B. Taylor	Portland, Conn.	29	2	19	
Phylis Manuel	Keene	27	1		Rev. J. T. Copplestone
Leon J. Bergeron	Keene	23	1	26	
Mary V. DiLuzio	Keene	22	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Harold E. Townsend	Worcester, Mass.	47	2	26	
Jessie P. Skeates	Worcester, Mass.	31	1		Rev. Joseph Rogers
James H. Leh	Keene	23	1	26	
Elaine A. Brown	Keene	20	1		Rev. Joseph Rogers
Richard Deering	Manchester	33	1	26	
Dorothy L. St. John	Keene	21	1		Rev. Richard A. Day
Everett H. Capron	Keene	29	1	31	
Rhoda L. Stone	Keene	23	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
Lloyd J. Makin	Keene	21	1	Sept. 1	
Beatrice S. Zecha	Marlboro	17	1		Rev. Barron F. McIntire
Amos F. Dulong	Keene	34	1	1	
Edythe I. C. Croto	Keene	33	2		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Ray C. Besaw	Keene	21	1	2	
Thelma L. Piper	Keene	19	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
Wilfred L. Despres	Marlboro	34	1	2	
Lucille C. Gaillardetz	Keene	26	1		Rev. James E. McCooey

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF KEENE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1939

Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at Time of Marriage	Age	No. of Marriage Sin., Wid., etc.	Date	By Whom Married
Hollis W. Rowe	Keene	23	1	2	
Helen M. Shedden	Keene	18	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Lester G. Sargent	Keene	39	1	2	
Margaret C. Bomhower	Keene	34	2		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
John J. Colony, Jr.	Keene	24	1	2	
Marjorie Page	New York, N. Y.	22	1		Rev. Owen R. Washburn
John L. White	Keene	25	1	4	
Gladys K. Reynolds	Keene	19	1		Rev. John Bosa
Cornelius J. Ahern	Keene	27	1	4	
Bernice M. Galvin	Lowell, Mass.	28	1		Rev. Hugh P. McCabe
Edward J. Lake	E. Hampton, Mass.	23	1	9	
Mary M. Dawicki	Amherst, Mass.	20	1		Frank H. Whitcomb, J. P.
Weldon R. Stanford	Keene	25	1	10	
Eleanor C. Britton	Keene	22	1		Rev. Harold M. Frye
Eugene J. Descoteaux	Keene	36	2	11	
Martha E. Field	Keene	18	1		Rev. John Bosa
Raymond H. Wilcox	Keene	25	1	17	
Phyllis M. Kelley	Keene	22	2		Rev. Milton S. Cxatt
Harrison L. Kendall	Troy	22	1	23	
Stella Piispanen	Keene	21	1		Rev. Charles M. Tibbetts
Harold F. Graeme	Keene	27	1	23	
Eunice A. LaMontagne	Keene	22	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Walter H. McCormick	Keene	52	2	27	
Grace E. Cunningham	Keene	52	2		Rev. W. W. Coe
Everett H. Adams	Keene	22	1	Oct. 3	
Janet B. Curtis	Keene	19	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
John K. Abbott	Keene	28	1	7	
Marion G. Messier	Keene	23	1		Rev. John Bosa
Karl J. Beedle	Keene	23	1	11	
Charlotte E. Flanagan	Keene	21	1		Rev. J. T. Copplestone
Clinton E. Bissell, Jr.	Keene	20	1	12	
Roberta P. Caldwell	Keene	22	1		Rev. Robbins E. Ralph
Francis W. Taft	Keene	30	1	12	
Mary G. Nestor	Lowell, Mass.	28	1		Dennis J. Maquire
Joseph F. Reagan, Jr.	Newton, Mass.	31	1	14	
Marguerite A. Duhaime	Boston, Mass.	35	1		Rev. John Bosa
Robert N. Partridge	Keene	23	1	16	
Eleanor B. Conner	Keene	19	1		Rev. Daniel H. Miller
Eliot Priest	Nelson	26	1	16	
Julia A. Higgins	Keene	22	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Ernest J. Lussier	Peterboro	21	1	21	
Lena H. Grover	Keene	18	1		Rev. J. T. Copplestone
Joseph G. Hodgkins	Keene	20	1	21	
Dorothea M. Guerrin	Keene	19	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Walter L. Goodnow	Keene	21	1	24	
Pauline B. Holbrook	Keene	18	1		Rev. George B. Owen
Homer S. Emerson	Keene	28	1	25	
Marion J. Cowell	Keene	19	1		Rev. Joseph Rogers
Stanley J. Crawford	Keene	18	1	31	
Helen I. Buffum	Keene	19	1		Rev. Willis E. Smith
Clifford J. Loranger	Keene	21	1	Nov. 4	
Barbara E. Pratt	Keene	19	1		Frank H. Whitcomb, J.P.
Sherman A. Martin	Marlboro	19	1	14	
Evelyn M. Sabin	Keene	19	1		Rev. James W. Gilrain
Gordon R. Fowle	Keene	25	2	15	
Helen O. White	Keene	24	1		Rev. Robbins E. Ralph
Robert E. Lee	Keene	21	1	16	
Vera M. Loranger	Keene	18	1		Frank H. Whitcomb, J.P.

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Albert Armstrong, Jr.	Keene	21	1	17	
Edith R. Berry	Keene	19	1		Parke F. Weeks, J. P.
Leo J. Bergeron	Keene	22	1	30	
Lillian M. Zecha	Marlboro	19	1		Rev. James E. McCooey
Francis R. Linscott	Exeter	27	1	30	
Ethel L. Poisson	Keene	23	1		Rev. John Bosa

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Name of Deceased	Place of Birth	Date		Age		
				Years	Months	Days
			1922			
Flora S. Shultis	Chesterfield	June	22	65		
			1938			
Joseph Hebert	Randolph, Vt.	Nov.	30	89	9	15
Josephine O. Johnson	Olafa, Sweden	Dec.	1	80	1	22
Walter A. Sillars	Danvers, Mass.		3	72	5	18
Elizabeth Bradish	Westmoreland		3	71	6	12
Emma Farwell	Winchester		6	71	3	6
Charles G. Whitney	New Ipswich		8	70	1	24
Mary Martineau	St. Leonard, Ca.		9	66	6	22
Jonathan G. Debell	Chesterfield		15	55	4	8
Kenneth W. Roberts	Fort Wayne, Ind.		15	30	9	19
Florence A. Garfield	Phillips, Me.		16	54	7	23
Eva M. Atherton	East Boston, Mass.		19	67	4	24
Leon E. Wiswall	Marlboro		19	57	3	3
Agnes I. Splaine	Winchester		21	64	5	23
Oscar W. Baker	Keene		21	69	9	8
Carl Neff	Stockbridge, Vt.		23	62	11	25
Helen M. Gilson	Peterboro		24	86		
William T. Hale	Keene		26	50	6	27
Jennie S. Farnum	Brownington, Vt.		30	84	1	10
James F. Williamson	Quincy, Ill.		30	78		
			1939			
William A. Snow	Kansas, Mo.	Jan.	5	24	10	27
Morton A. Goodell	Swanzey		5	40	7	16
Julius R. Parker	Sutton, Vt.		8	75	10	13
May H. Ellis	———		8	53	7	23
—— Croteau	Keene		9			0
Carole LaPointe	Keene		9		2	23
Nellie D. Rodenbush	Manchester		11	48	3	18
Gerald E. Marshall	———		12			8
Kate C. Faulkner	Macon, Georgia		16	69	0	18
Erminie M. Taft	Springfield, Mass.		17	59	11	30
Beatrice V. Hooper	Roxbury		18	26	7	25
Mary A. Carpenter	Keene		18	78	3	10
Lizzie C. Adams	Marlboro		21	78	10	30
Katherine Doherty	Waterford, Ireland		25	85		
Sophie Vrakatitsis	Greece		25	44*		
Leon R. Eaton	———		25	65	7	14
Mabel L. Wright	Springfield, Mass.		27	70	9	26
Mary J. Johnson	Buffalo, N. Y.		28	76*		
Harry C. Parker	West Swanzey		31	69	10	23
Sarah Boynton Jones	Grafton, Vt.	Feb.	2	82	9	17
John Martell	Boston, Mass.		2	65	10	15
Caroline S. Bradford	Woodstock, Vt.		3	81	7	9
Nettie B. Palmer	Southampton, Mass.		4	76	7	28
David H. Marcou	Fairfield, Maine		5	67	9	1
Elwin W. Wilcox	Winchendon, Mass.		6	75	3	0
——— Hamel	Keene		6			0

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Joseph F. Gorman	Fall River, Mass.	8	75	10	4
Harriet B. C. Reed	Chesterfield	9	95	1	8
Alfred G. Isham	Keene	9	71	8	1
Fred W. Hattie	Boston, Mass.	9	72	1	27
——— Bokum	Keene	10			1
John F. Page	Keene	12	1	2	21
Henry Fedora	Poland	12	54	0	11
Hazel G. Foster	Island Pond, Vt.	15	41	4	11
Hermina Vigneau	North Adams, Mass.	15	52	10	4
Nathan J. Quigley	———	15	68	5	15
Stella S. Sanborn	Wallingford, Vt.	15	78	10	29
Charles T. Sweeney	New York, N. Y.	17	52	7	12
Mary L. Tenney	Londonderry, Vt.	20	88	11	25
Margaret S. Kelley	———	21	88	7	7
——— Kenyon	Keene	24			0
Hannah O'Leary	Ireland	25	84		
Edward W. Coleman	———	25	62	10	8
Fay H. Hill	Winchester	27	67	2	11
Henry S. Kerbaugh	Philadelphia, Penn.	28	73	10	11
Carl F. Kemp	Acworth	Mar. 1	53	7	3
Gertrude A. Atwood	Troy	1	66	0	17
——— Turcotte	Keene	4			0
Arthur I. Grover	Dummerston, Vt.	4	58	7	11
Harry A. Tenney	Marlboro	5	77	4	5
Cora G. Pease	Cornish Flats	7	70	8	21
Margaret Russell	Thetford, Canada	7	72	1	16
Thelma M. Putnam	Goffstown	7		2	13
George H. Thatcher	Marlboro	8	62	4	14
Henry J. Vigneault	Marlboro	9	56	1	19
——— Giovannangeli	Keene	10			0
Alexander Frew	———	12	85	1	2
Elgin A. Jones	Marlow	13	86	7	11
Mary L. Cutting	Marlow	14	64	7	11
George J. Apted	Boston, Mass.	19	67	7	3
Cecelia C. Lavoie	Howland, Maine	20	36	5	7
Andrew E. Towne	Keene	22	76	7	5
Charles C. Crowley	———	23	75		
John C. Tierney	Proctorsville, Vt.	23	72		
Otis Spaulding	Westminster, Mass.	23	80	0	8
Edgar E. Smart	Newfane, Vt.	24	28	8	1
Julia H. Wheaton	Yonkers, N. Y.	24	31	1	8
Helen S. Pollard	Keene	25	83	6	20
Bernard Hooper	———	31		3	3
George H. Mansfield	Ashland, Mass.	31	83	8	29
Adolphus Robinson	Canada	Apr. 1	73	10	17
Hattie E. Greenwood	———	3	88	2	0
John E. Ellis	Westminster, Vt.	4	98	5	3
William O. Reed	———	5	68	2	23
Telesphore Vachon	Ottawa, Ca.	6	56	10	25
——— Kernozicky	Keene	6			0
William David	Keene	7	53	3	2

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Frances L. Gorham	Chesterfield		10	81	3	18
Katherine E. O'Connor	Keene		10	72*		
Natalie A. Howe	Swanzey		11		3	16
Sarah L. Buffum	Keene		11	83	0	14
Edward J. Carpenter	———		11	48	7	10
Angie G. Russell	Londonderry		11	83	11	28
James F. Joslin	Keene		13	69	5	2
Peter St. John	Ellenburg, N. Y.		17	100	0	15
Claroy D. Johnson	Minneapolis, Minn.		18	43	4	14
George H. Rocheleau	Otter River, Mass.		19	60	1	6
Edward E. Gionet	Caraquet, N. B.		20	68	4	10
John W. Evans	Tamworth		21	77	4	10
Addie E. Chadwick	Stockbridge, Vt.		21	79	3	1
Ned A. Blood	Henniker		22	70	9	3
Nettie M. Waldo	———		22	90	2	6
Shirley A. Gorges	Keene		23			0
——— Wilson	Keene		25			0
Leger Desilets	Canada		26	77	2	12
Cora M. Michael	Dansville, N. Y.		26	75	11	14
Philip J. Goddard	Harrisville		27	41	4	24
Florence Rich	———		27			
Ellen A. Naramore	Richmond		28	83	5	8
Lucius Curtis	Highgate, Vt.		28	67	1	17
Edward J. O'Brien	Keene		28	44	7	17
Leon H. Cummings	Keene		28	38	7	11
Maude P. Hopkins	Spofford		29	67	11	6
Dominick S. Duffy	Keene		29	59	3	1
Lucy A. Thurston	———		30	90	10	29
Albert H. Watkins	Walpole	May	1	90	11	10
Mary S. Cotter	County Cork, Ireland		1	78	2	29
Andrew J. Heath	Stoddard		1	78	2	28
Isabella C. Stewart	Province of Quebec		1	86	0	15
——— Hendreson	Keene		2			0
Mary A. Knight	Charlestown		8	80	1	2
Margery E. M. Huckins	Hartford, Conn.		8	5	10	9
John W. Miller	Westport, N. Y.		9	72	11	22
Octave Aubin	Canada		9	72		
John Croto	Roxbury		9	64	3	23
Edna E. Springer	Georgia, Vt.		13	62	3	16
Bessie M. French	Keene		15	67	9	20
Helen Hamilton	Grafton, Vt.		16	97	3	19
Elleanore M. Cheney	Canada		17	80	5	22
Weston E. Wilbur	Westmoreland		17	66	8	6
Alice B. Fletcher	Westmoreland		17	83	7	0
William P. Baldwin	Chester, Vt.		18	69	0	13
Arthur Newcomb	———		19	73	8	14
Maria "Brown" Abbott	Stowe, Mass.		22	101	2	10
Clara B. Ritter	———		22	71	0	14
Annie R. Davis	Marlboro		26	81	11	17

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Beverly M. Swett	Keene		27	6	0	6
Robert E. Keyes	———		28	53		
Irene R. Frigon	Harrisville		29	25	10	19
Geraldine R. Hildreth	Westmoreland		29	89	2	24
Frank Judd	———		29	86	7	19
Rose Z. Schroeder	———		29	51		
Bertha L. Karr	Alstead		31	62	11	19
William A. Boyce	Brattleboro, Vt.	June	1	40	1	13
George W. Clyde	Marlow		3	92	8	16
Sarah Driscoll	Belfast, Ireland		4	67		
Heman J. Holdredge	Laurel Glen, Stonington, Ct.		5	77	9	5
Gerald H. Thayer	Cornwall, N. Y.		5	55	8	12
Ruby A. Crawford	Terre Haute, Ind.		5	44	0	17
Frederick S. Flagg	Fitchburg, Mass.		7	82	8	3
Susie B. Bailey	Lyndeboro		7	62	6	12
Archie C. Gillis	Danville, Vt.		8	68	4	30
John E. Lamphrey	———		10	63	11	19
Harry C. Dean	Keene		11	68	7	23
——— Henry	Keene		11			0
Mardin W. Colburn	Keene		13	12	2	4
——— Emerson	Keene		14			0
Henry A. Harris	Westminster, Vt.		15	39	4	16
William L. Coggins	Romaine, Me.		16	72	3	29
Grace A. Clark	Springfield, Vt.		17	53	0	11
Robert E. Watkins	Merrimack		18	38	4	3
Abbie A. Dodge	Acworth		19	85	0	9
Elizabeth Miller	East Lempster		20	52	0	18
Susan E. W. Gilbert	Lebanon		21	78	0	22
Ervin G. Cross	West Swanzey		21	73	11	24
Herbert M. Tanner	Atlanta, Georgia		22	28	9	27
Melinda M. Grogan	Redford, N. Y.		24	63	9	25
Willis O. Smith	———		28	73	2	26
Alice G. Barnard	Keene		28	73	7	22
Amos R. Judson	Ellinwood, Ill.		30	77	11	12
Clarence R. Northrop	Winchester		30	45	0	17
Alice V. Hayden	Camden, Maine	July	2	91	7	0
——— Nurse	Westmoreland		2			0
Luella M. Nims	Chesterfield		2	90	11	1
Emily B. Holman	Musquoboboit, N. S.		4	74	1	11
Samuel O. Rabidou	Joliette, P. Q., Ca.		6	74	8	6
Luella C. Towle	West Kingston		8	91	8	23
Winfred H. Brown	Franklin		11	18	7	22
Janet Dutrisac	Keene		12		11	17
——— Hart	Keene		14	80	8	15
Ellen C. Dennis	Chicopee Falls, Mass.		13			0
Bruce Barden	Keene		20		5	6
Bertha E. Derby	Newport		21	62	8	17
——— Clark	Keene		21			0
John Romans	———		22	59		
Omer Morin	———		23	24		
William A. Caldwell	Felton, Del.		24	78	8	2

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Frank J. Harlow	St. Louis, Mo.		25	50	5	18
George Heald	———		28	76	10	5
Horace A. Holden	Malden, Mass.		29	79	7	19
Annie L. Clark	Westminster, Vt.		30	82	1	7
William S. Jones	Jefferson, N. Y.		31	76	0	19
Orison D. Twitchell	Richmond	Aug.	3	78	0	30
Jessie P. Spencer	Keene		3	71	0	18
Etta F. French	Gilsum		4	72	4	1
Halbert L. Upton	Vermont		5	67	4	11
Lizzie M. Wilcox	Putney, Vt.		5	82	9	25
John H. Kennedy	Keene		6	67	0	15
Walter H. Harvey	Keene		7	65	3	5
Raymond W. Ward	Keene		8	32	0	25
Amelia A. Hopkins	Nova Scotia		8	75	0	15
Frank H. Alden	Keene		13	74	2	12
Edward B. Holmes	Washington, D. C.		13	51	11	8
Robert L. Moore	Readsboro, Vt.		14	5	4	2
Herbert Naramore	Richmond		15	66	10	22
Roy W. Maynard	Burlington, Vt.		17	48	4	18
Margaret G. Avery	Keene		17	77	9	21
Elmina M. Houghton	———		17	93	5	11
James F. Glendon	Carlow, Ireland		19	68	2	15
Alice Whalen	Ireland		22	85		
John Burke	W. Boylston, Mass.		22	83	8	29
Mabel I. Ayers	Keene		26	79	3	11
Walter Smith	Athol, Mass.		30	46	3	
James Payton	———		30	76	6	18
Augustin J. Aubin	Canada	Sept.	1	75	1	28
Edna A. Charbonneau	Keene		3	56	0	17
Theodore Hawley	Harlem, N. Y.		3	79	7	26
Doris Miller	Swanzey		4			0
——— Jannti	West Swanzey		6			0
Sylvia I. Amer	Barnes Corner, Vt.		7	40	8	29
Abbie G. Bushey	Keene		8	63	11	22
Alice S. Dial	Keene		8	61	0	27
Holden Spear	Rocky Hill, N. J.		9	53	0	8
Eva Blouin	Keene		12			0
Percy I. Axford	Melrose, Mass.		15	53	5	6
George H. Briggs	Troy		16		1	16
David M. Malcoln, Jr.	Keene		20			0
Edgar J. Reynolds	St. Armand, Ca.		20	54	2	19
Orland L. Seward	Sullivan		21	83	10	7
Alice L. Vose	Peterborough		21	66	9	30
Thomas E. Cassidy	Bestbrook, Ireland		22	66	10	5
Joseph St. John	Granville, Vt.		22	76	1	1
John P. Sweeney	Phillipston, Mass.		23	66	0	9
Marguerite B. Cardinal	Newport, Vt.		23	74	6	8
Charles G. Ellinwood	Deering		25	61	8	10
Arthur M. Greeley	———		28	74	0	28
John R. Beauregard	———		29	69	1	16
Charles S. Carkins	Wilton	Oct.	4	76	5	6

Name of Deceased	Place of Birth	Date	Age		
			Years	Months	Days
James Elmer	Northfield, Mass.	4	63	0	8
Bertha E. Heald	Keene	4	53	10	5
Henry L. Farland	Nashua	5	37	4	25
Laurence D. Colony	Harrisville	5	67	2	21
Henrietta M. Walston	West Boylston, Mass.	6	45	3	2
Susan C. Lathrop	Windsor, Conn.	7	79	9	12
Ella E. Reyoum	Harrisville	9	88	2	8
Laurie A. Howard	Stoneham, Mass.	10	83	3	20
Margaret Coffey	Sussex, N. B.	12	69	10	21
——— Black	Keene	15			0
Grace M. Perkins	Marlboro	16	54	3	29
Ovina A. Pelletier	Victoriaville, Que.	19	58	10	11
Walter J. Bezio	Keeseville, N. Y.	21	47	4	4
Kathrine G. Brogen	Boston, Mass.	21	80	9	7
Edward Wheeler	England	23	84	8	0
Ethelinda Livermore	West Swanzey	23	86	8	13
Helen E. Brett	West Chesterfield, Mass.	24	57	6	26
Corrin C. Hall	Watson, N. Y.	24	70	6	5
Louise P. Freeman	Marlboro	25	71	9	24
Ella F. Chapman	Swanzey	26	83	1	21
Katherine T. David	Cambridge, Mass.	26	60	4	23
Emogene E. Shaw	Surry	27	88	7	9
Charles H. Metcalf	Winchester	31	61	10	20
Eddie M. Currier	East Unity	Nov. 4	65	3	10
Abbie E. Barrus	Hancock	4	82	3	28
Alexander S. Bruder	Leutschau, Hungary	5	69	8	10
James P. Morse	Keene	9	68	11	3
Elizabeth A. Carter	Randolph	10	85	10	20
Saddie G. Munroe	Harrisville	14	63	5	22
Sally Saimi S. Wiinikka	Marlboro	14	30	0	13
Lutie J. Fairbanks	Cynthianna, Ky.	15	87	7	14
Mary J. Faulkner	Keene	16	74	0	14
Bridget S. O'Connor	Ireland	21	63	—	—
Theodore A. Bartlett	———	22	78	7	10
Lena A. Durfee	Keene	22	64	7	20
Floyd O. Mason	Swanzey	25	53	9	29
Joseph L. Pair	———	28	49	0	19
Lewis A. Snow	Kansas City, Mo.	29	71	8	25
Margaret M. Sweeney	———	30	72	8	9
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Inspector of Buildings—Ralph H. Clark.

Inspector of Plumbing—John H. Fitzgerald.

Health Officer—Evan C. White.

Board of Examiners—John H. Fitzgerald, John H. Simpson, Arthur L. Russell.

Assessors—James H. Fish, John H. Smith, Charles K. Whitcomb.

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Gaugers—Edward H. Newell, Elmer A. Watkins.

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MAYOR

RICHARD L. HOLBROOK

City Clerk, FRANK H. WHITCOMB

Elmer B. Chamberlain, Deputy City Clerk

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

WARD 1. FRANCIS P. CALLAHAN.
WARD 2. KENNETH P. COLBY.
WARD 3. BERNARD A. STREETER.
WARD 4. ELMER L. MACKENZIE.
WARD 5. JAMES B. DEE.

BOARD OF COMMON COUNCILMEN

WARD 1. Clifford E. Emery.
Roy W. Frink.
James C. Graves.

WARD 2. David F. Putnam.
Edmund B. Faulkner.
Bertram A. Powers.

WARD 3. Ellis Robertson.
Paul E. Whitcomb.
Frederick D. Mitchell, *President.*

WARD 4. Leroy E. Codding.
Robert M. Sayers.
Harry C. Lichman.

WARD 5. William T. Bridgham.
Joseph M. Coppolo.
Lorenzo J. Metivier.

Harry E. Gale, Clerk.

Persons furnishing materials or services for the city may call for claims, which have been properly approved, and allowed by the Auditor, on Saturday, at the City Clerk's office, No. 3, City Hall.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES

Finance—Mayor Holbrook, Alderman Streeter, Councilmen Whitcomb and Putnam.

Public Works—Alderman Colby, Councilmen Emery and Lichman.

Police Department—Alderman MacKenzie, Councilmen Graves and Faulkner.

Fire Department—Alderman Dee, Councilmen Sayers and Robertson.

Burial Grounds—Alderman MacKenzie, Councilmen Codding and Frink.

Lands and Buildings—Alderman Callahan, Councilmen Powers and Metivier.

Street Lights—Alderman Streeter, Councilmen Emery and Codding.

Schools—Alderman Callahan, Councilmen Faulkner and Coppolo.

Public Parks—Alderman MacKenzie, Councilmen Putnam and Bridgham.

Printing—Alderman Colby, Councilmen Graves and Whitcomb.

Engrossed Bills—Alderman Dee, Councilmen Robertson and Frink.

Public Library—Alderman Streeter, Councilmen Bridgham and Sayers.

Welfare—Mayor Holbrook, Alderman Callahan and President Mitchell.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Bills on Second Reading—Aldermen Streeter, Colby and Dee.

Licenses—Aldermen Colby, MacKenzie and Callahan.

Ladies Park—Mayor Holbrook, Mrs. Edith K. Watson and Alderman MacKenzie.

Licensing Board—Mayor Holbrook, Chief of Police Robert E. Tucker and Walker S. Kimball.

Claims—Full Board.

Common Council

City Hall—Mayor Holbrook, President Mitchell and City Messenger.

Election and Returns—Councilmen Powers, Metivier and Frink.

Bills on Second Reading—Councilmen Lichman, Coppolo and Powers.

City Planning Board

Mayor Richard L. Holbrook, Robert T. Kingsbury, Park Commissioner, Alderman Kenneth P. Colby.

Ernest J. Chase, 1 year; Mrs. Ruth W. Batchelder, 2 years; Mrs. Irene W. Landers, 3 years; J. Alfred Dennis, 4 years; Henry M. Weston, 5 years; Robert D. Nims, 6 years.

CITY OFFICERS

City Auditor—Walter M. Hubbard.

City Solicitor—Walker S. Kimball.

City Treasurer—Harold I. Chandler.

Board of Health—Dr. Walter F. Taylor, 1938; John H. Simpson, 1939; Ernest L. Bell, Jr., 1940.

Chief Eng. Fire Dept.—Eugene B. Riley.

Assistant Engineers—John H. Simpson, Elwin H. Applin.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—George E. Fairbanks.

City Messenger—Wm. B. Stickels.

Justice of Municipal Court of Keene—Charles A. Madden.

Clerk of Municipal Court of Keene—Don J. Williams.

Probation Officer—Harold F. Drew.

Police Commissioners—William E. Hetherman, 1936; Arthur B. Nims, 1937; Rupert E. Robinson, 1939.

Chief of Police—Robert E. Tucker.

Constables—Robert E. Tucker, Harold B. Burns.

City Physician—Walter F. Taylor.

Sexton—Frank C. Potter.

Overseer of Poor—Paul B. Hayward.

Superintendent of Public Works—Arthur A. Wallace. John A. Denison, Assistant.

Park Commissioner—Robert T. Kingsbury.

Librarian—Mary L. Saxton.

Assistant Librarians—Lena C. Bishop, Virginia Hall, Bessie M. McGregor.

Children's Librarian—Mrs. Frederick C. Stearns.